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Complications.

ALARMED BY VILLA.

Fears of a Military Dictatorship.

Former Bandit Is Said to Aspire to Rule All Northern Mexico.

Carranza Denies Chihuahua Outrages Are as Bad as Painted.

European Consuls Are Starting Independent Inquiries Into the Facts.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HERMOSILLO (Son. Mex.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In spite of the statement made by Gen. Carranza tonight that the reports of foreign outrages in Chihuahua had been grossly exaggerated, persistent rumors were current in army circles that an attempt was being made to establish a military dictatorship in Northern Mexico.

According to Gen. Carranza all wires between Juarez and Chihuahua have been disconnected for many days which, he says, would account for the fact that he had not received official reports from Gen. Villa.

"Until the lines are again reestablished I do not care to comment on the situation nor do I wish to make any explanations in advance of the real facts which I hope to receive at almost any hour," he added.

Reports coming in from the border had the effect of casting a gloom over the Constitutionalist capital tonight, and many of the closest friends of the Constitutionalist chieftain admitted that Gen. Villa had not assumed the attitude of a man perfectly loyal to his chief.

From the number of protests said

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John W. Preston

Of Ukiah, who was yesterday nominated by the President for the office of United States District Attorney for the northern section of California.

SUPPORTER OF KENT.

But in Spite of the Handicap the President Nominates Preston of Ukiah for Attorneyship.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Wilson today nominated John W. Preston of Ukiah for United States Attorney for the Northern District of California.

PRESTON'S CAREER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—John W. Preston, appointed today as United States Attorney for the district of Northern California, is an attorney of Ukiah, Mendocino county, who came to California from Tennessee eight years ago. He served as a Democratic member of the Assembly during the 1911 session but was not a candidate for re-election.

Preston was a supporter of Congressman Kent, a Progressive, at the time of his election, and this fact, coupled with the statement that Preston had been a supporter of Gov. Hiram W. Johnson, was made the basis

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

THE HEART OF IT

EPITOMIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) Taft's Indorsement of Root. (2) Meeting of the Republican National Committee. (3) Mexico. (4) Test Vote on the Currency Bill. (5) Wilson Withdraws from the Carabaos. (6) Earthquake in Japan.

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THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., northwesterly, 7 miles. Thermometer, highest, 70 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Forecast: Fair Tuesday, light west winds. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. The Efficiency Commission to recommend drastic measures, including jail sentences, to curb automobile speeders and safeguard the public, and a Council resolution along the same lines was introduced yesterday.

The remains of the former champion pedestrian walker of the world, who died in poverty in this city, were cremated yesterday and her widower, sick, could not attend the funeral.

A Los Angeles woman who has just given birth to her twenty-third baby, discovered her family with interest last night that was being done a day's washing.

One thousand carloads of scrap iron were sold to the Guggenheims yesterday by a local industrial concern for shipment to Utah.

Miss Lester Hayward yesterday began suit for $100,000 against her brother-in-law's father, brother and sister for alienation of affections.

The so-called 'People' Welfare Committee of three men was the first to appear before the City Council's order to file membership lists or keep mum.

Following the home to the school was the motto of the Los Angeles City Teachers' Institute yesterday.

Two boys who stole $150,000 worth of automobiles and used and wrecked them were arrested yesterday and confessed.

PACIFIC SLOPE. A Juneau dispatch last night stated that the Alaska Indians had organized to get the vote.

Trial of Western Fuel Company officials charged with short-weighing coal furnished the government began yesterday at San Francisco.

The Mountain Copper Company announced yesterday it would build a big concentrating plant near Kenwick to cost half a million dollars.

GENERAL EASTERN. A New York dispatch last night stated that Helen Keller had been enabled by an Edison device to hear her own voice.

A suit to attack the alleged interlocking directorate of two great public utility corporations was filed in Chicago yesterday.

MEXICO. The arrival of Mexican soldiers at Ensenada was reported in a San Diego Associated Press dispatch last night.

A dispatch from Admiral Fletcher reported conditions normal again at Tampico.

A Hermosillo dispatch last night reported fears of a military dictatorship in Northern Mexico.

Gen. Carranza was quoted last night to have said that Villa's acts in Chihuahua were probably not so bad as painted by Spanish refugees.

The Mexican Congress adjourned yesterday.

A Juarez Associated Press dispatch last night stated that Gen. Villa is beginning to show new alarms over the plans of the Federals.

WASHINGTON. President Wilson yesterday withdrew acceptance of membership in the Carabaos because army and navy officers are reported to have jested about his Philippine policy.

"Party principles first" Chairman Hilles advised the Republican National Committee in session in Washington yesterday.

FOREIGN. An earthquake was reported from Tokio last night.

French police search in vain for "Mathilde," the beautiful living-image of Mona Lisa.

German train was wrecked yesterday at Chemnitz in tunnel which collapsed during an earthquake and eight passengers were killed.

The launching of new battleships by England and Japan was detailed in London and Tokio dispatches yesterday.

The editor who would do justice to himself will not depend wholly upon the foregoing condensed-to-lineamenty summarized, optimized or classified.

Looking Forward.

TAFT INDORSES ROOT FOR THE NOMINATION.

"A Man of Tremendous" Ability Former President Calls the Senator.

Suggestion that the New Yorker Be Chosen to Lead the Republican Cohorts to Victory in the Next National Election Brings Forth a Clear Statement from New Haven—Michigan State Officials Also in Line.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William H. Taft today strongly indorsed Elihu Root for President.

"The nomination of Senator Root for President by the Republican party would be gratifying to me, highly gratifying," said the ex-President today. "I would be delighted to see him in the White House. I regard Mr. Root as a statesman in the same class as Alexander Hamilton. He is more than a statesman, too. He is a profound lawyer."

Speaking of Mr. Bryce's speech in commendation of Root, Mr. Taft said:

"Mr. Bryce, of course, was in a position to speak from personal knowledge. Nobody who has had an opportunity to observe how Mr. Root's mind works, can fail to be impressed by his tremendous ability.

"I myself am a professor and out of politics. As to the possibility of Senator Root's nomination, what is my judgment worth? All that I can say is that if the Republicans should use the discrimination to see it as I do his nomination would not be surprising. As to his political availability, I am not a judge. I think my own experience would hardly qualify me in that respect. I am simply an observer of politics. I try to keep up with what is going on by reading the newspapers, but aside from that my interest is chiefly in the Constitution and the independence of the judiciary and I am willing to devote the rest of my life to maintaining those principles."

"From what you say, Mr. Taft," observed the interviewer, "it would seem that you haven't any further political ambition yourself."

"Of course not," replied Mr. Taft. He repeated, "Of course not," with an air of wondering how the correspondent could have had any such idea.

"Would you say," he was asked, "that you would regard Mr. Root as the best man that could be nominated?"

"I will say this," he replied. "If I was a delegate in the convention I would vote for him and if we should have Presidential primaries I would vote for him."

"If Root were nominated by the Republicans, what do you think Roosevelt would do?"

"Don't ask me any conundrums," he said.

MICHIGAN MEN ARE FOR ROOT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LANSING (Mich.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With one or two exceptions, all the Republican State officials in Lansing today declared themselves in sympathy with the boom started in Washington Saturday to make Senator Elihu Root the Republican candidate for President in 1916.

Auditor-General Fuller, State Treasurer Haarer, Superintendent of Public Instruction Fellows and Superintendent Wright of the Michigan School for the Deaf declared that Root was their first choice for the Presidency, while Land Commissioner Carlon and Clerk Hopkins of the Supreme Court expressed a preference for ex-Gov. Hadley of Missouri. Being a Democrat, Gov. Ferris is not particularly interested.

Fundamentals.

"PARTY PRINCIPLES FIRST," HILLES TELLS REPUBLICANS.

"In Order that We May Again Triumph We Must Have Some Motive Other Than a Desire to Win," the National Chairman Announces to the Assembled Members of the Committee.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Although the Republican National Committee will not decide whether to call an extraordinary party convention until its formal meeting tomorrow, many of the arguments for and against such action were made tonight at a dinner given to the committeemen by Chairman Charles D. Hilles. In a speech that preceded discussion on the question, Mr. Hilles outlined at length the matters which the committee and a convention if called will be asked to settle, gave some of the arguments on each side and said that in any event the Republican party should get together.

"This conference," he said, "is not a council of despair. Republicans have every reason to feel hopeful."

The national chairman did not disclose his personal views on the advisability of an extraordinary convention, but called upon other committeemen to debate its merits.

"In order that we may again triumph," he said, "we must have some motive other than a desire to win. For the sake of mere success at the polls we must not discard or undermine the sound principles which our predecessors thought out and fought for and wrought out. We are the trustees of the Republican party, a fact which should inspire in us a sense of urgent responsibility. Republicans and former Republicans can go very far in a protocol of union if a surrender of principles is not involved. We will not embrace theories of government that are destructive of all that we held essential to the maintenance of liberty regulated by law."

Mr. Hilles referred to the meeting of the National Committee as "abnormal," but directed by the Executive Committee and warranted by conditions.

He announced that five important questions to be decided tomorrow by the committee involved the recognition of State laws as to the manner of choosing delegates; minimizing the number of contests for seats in conventions; in terminating the tenure of committeemen automatically upon the election of their successor, the creation of a new tribunal to hear contestants and changing the basis of representation.

Mr. Hilles dealt at length on the

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Holocaust.

NINE ACCOUNTED DEAD IN SALVATION ARMY FIRE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Dec. 15.—Six men are known to be dead and one woman and two children are missing as the result of a fire that swept a Salvation Army home in Freeman avenue here tonight. The woman and children are thought to have perished in the flames.

Wonder.

ENABLES HELEN KELLER TO HEAR OWN VOICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That from a bit of mechanism created by Edison, Helen Keller heard her own voice and was able to distinguish some words of a song for the first time, is vouched for today by Mrs. I. M. Ilsen, the personal representative of Mr. Edison in Cleveland. During the experiment, Miss Keller held a wooden piano key in her hand which she laid inside a horn. This key method has long been used by Edison as an aid to his own hearing. After the music was over, relates Mrs. Ilsen, Miss Keller placed her head in the horn and spoke to her teacher, Mrs. Macy. She appeared startled and then told that she heard herself speaking and that she did not pronounce her words as distinctly as she thought she did.

"The dream of my life is to meet that wonderful man. He has given me the greatest pleasure in all my life," was her comment when the experiment was over.

Edison, on learning of her desire to meet him, sent his auto for her and brought her to his home in West Orange, N. J. Mr. Edison, when asked over the telephone if any more experiments had been tried, replied that the visit was purely social.

Sen. R. L. Owen.

Gilbert M. Hitchcock.

The for and against.

Two views of the ownership of regional bank stock are represented by Senators Owen and Hitchcock. Hitchcock wants the public and Owen the national banks to own the stock. The Owen forces won on a test vote yesterday.

Disappeared.

"MATHILDE" DEFIES ARREST.

FRENCH POLICE FAIL TO FIND MONA LISA'S DOUBLE.

Beautiful Girl Who Wrote Love Letters to Perugia Seems to Have Successfully Covered Her Tracks. Authorities Also on Still Hunt for Girondi, a Supposed Accomplice.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 15.—Efforts of the French police to find the girl who signed the name "Mathilde" to the love letters found in the room of Vincenzo Perugia, after his arrest at Florence for the theft of the "Mona Lisa" from the Louvre, so far have been fruitless. Mathilde had been described as a beautiful girl, the image of "Mona Lisa." She seems to have disappeared suddenly several months ago. An examination of the love missives found among Perugia's effects reveals that Mathilde's French was defective. She presumably is of foreign birth, possibly German.

The police also are seeking Gaetano Girondi, an Italian who is known to have shared Perugia's room after the picture had been stolen.

Girondi later disappeared and the police believe he was an accomplice.

BIG CROWDS VIEW PICTURE.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

FLORENCE (Italy) Dec. 15.—So great is the crowd of people striving to obtain a view of Da Vinci's painting, "Mona Lisa" that the authorities have been obliged to remove many of the busts and statutes from the Uffizi gallery to prevent them from being overturned and broken in the struggle to get near the picture.

Resentment is vigorously expressed in many quarters at the action of the Italian government in returning the picture to France.

Two officials of the Paris police department arrived here today to investigate the circumstances surrounding the recovery of "Mona Lisa." Difficulties are arising with reference to the procedure in the examination of Vincenzo Perugia, because the crime was committed outside of Italian territory. The French police officials can neither interrogate Perugia nor be present at his examination.

It is expected that the painting will be sent to Rome before the end of the week. By permission of the French government it will be exhibited there.

Three Majority.

WILSON FORCES WIN IN CURRENCY FIGHT.

Senate Tables Hitchcock Plan to Sell Regional Bank Stock to Public.

Defeat of the Amendment Virtually Insures the Adoption of the Owen Scheme and Party Leaders Are Shouting With Joy Over the Prospect of "Complete Success of the Administration's Measure."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Victory for the administration forces in the first test of strength on the currency reform bill marked today's session of the Senate. The vote, 29 to 26, tabled a substitute offered by Senator Hitchcock, for section two of the administration bill, proposing a system of four regional banks, with a possible increase to eight, the regional bank stock to be owned by the public.

HOW THEY VOTED.

With the exception of Senator Hitchcock, the Democrats voted solidly for the administration bill and supported Senator Owen's resolution to table the amendment. Senator Poindexter, listed as a Progressive, voted with the Democrats. The Republicans voted solidly for the Hitchcock amendment.

The defeat of this amendment virtually insured the adoption of the Owen plan, which provides for from eight to twelve regional banks, with the stock owned by the national banks that become members of the respective regional banks. The Democratic leaders assert that the result of the test vote, involving one of the most important features of the fight, indicated the complete success of the administration measure.

FOR THE FINAL VOTE.

Efforts to reach an agreement for a time to begin final voting on the bill were not successful today, but leaders on both sides of the chamber looked forward to an early termination of the debate and for final action before the end of the week.

HITCHCOCK ANSWERS ROOT.

When the Hitchcock substitute had been tabled Senator Reed made a speech, defending the Owen bill and replying to Senator Root, who on Saturday attacked the measure and called Secretary Bryan "the dominating influence" behind the proposed new currency system.

Replying directly to Senator Root's predictions that undue inflation and a financial panic might ensue if the currency bill was passed in its present form, Senator Reed said no inflation of the currency could occur unless the "sound money men who run the banks" brought it about.

"This is a workable bill," said he. "It is not surcharged with destruction to business. If added checks ought to be put in, I for one am willing to put them in. But the Senator from New York spent his time telling of the dire things that would happen to business and spent but little time explaining his own proposed amendments."

REED'S STATEMENT.

Senator Reed said a "typewritten document" proposing Senator Root for the Presidency had been prepared and given to the press before he made his speech.

"It is not difficult then to understand why the Secretary of State was brought in," he added. "When the voice of ambition is calling to higher honors, it is not difficult to understand that men will sometimes let their interest overcome their spirit of fairness and candor."

Senator Hitchcock made a sharp attack on the proposed control of the regional reserve banks by the banking interests of the country. He declared this feature of the bill would turn over the country reserves to the use of these bankers and would legalize the methods and the combinations of control against which the country has long protested.

Quoting the speech of Senator Stone Saturday in which the latter attacked A. B. Hepburn and Frank A. Vanderlip of New York, and Milton Ailes of Washington, as representatives of a class of bankers who were fighting effective currency reform, he insisted that under the Democratic bill the control of the currency system of the country would be turned over to these and other bankers.

"If the Vanderlips and the Ailes are going to control," interrupted Senator Stone, "it is remarkable that they are opposing this whole system. They have been down here fighting it. They are fighting it yet. They are invoking every agency to defeat it. They want a central bank."

SIX AMENDMENTS.

Senator Burton today presented six amendments to the bill. One would prevent the use of the new currency as cash reserves, and another would

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Stung.

HIS POLICY CARICATURED WILSON QUITS CARABAOS.

Threats to Court-martial Army and Navy Officers to Whom the President's Philippine Programme Is Distasteful Are Freely Made in Washington—Rigid Investigation of Satire and Travesty Is Ordered.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Wilson formally withdrew tonight his recent acceptance of honorary membership in the military Order of the Carabao, composed of regulars and volunteer officers of the army and navy who served in the Philippine Islands in the four years succeeding the Spanish-American War.

Earlier in the day the President had ordered an investigation of various satires and travesties on the administration's policy towards the Philippines as portrayed at a banquet of the Carabaos in Washington last Thursday night. The affair was attended by Secretaries Redfield, Daniels and Postmaster-General Burleson, Justices McKenna and Vandeventer of the United States Supreme Court, many members of Congress and hundreds of army and navy officers.

The demand for an investigation, together with intimations from the White House that courts-martial and severe reprimands would not be surprising as a result of the banquet, caused a sensation in army and navy circles in the capital.

The incident first came to the President's attention when he read accounts of it in the newspapers.

Through his secretary he communicated with various members of the Cabinet, expressing his indignation that officers of the army and navy should sing songs containing profane epithets toward a people which the United States was endeavoring to assist to self-government and civilization. No effort, according to White House officials, had been made to keep the banquet a private affair, copies of the songs and descriptions of the travesties showing opposition to the administration's Philippine policy being given to the press generally in advance.

It was made plain at the White House that while a general burlesque of the administration's peace policies and thrusts at Secretary Bryan and others were deeply resented because they came from army and navy officers, the chief objection was to the spirit of hostility shown to Philippine independence as the problem is being worked out by the present administration.

Secretaries Daniels and Garrison conferred at length on the subject and called upon Rear-Admiral Thomas T. Howard, U.S.N., and Maj.-Gen. James Aleshire, U.S.A., the two highest officers of the Carabao, for an explanation. They promised to give all the information desired. They would not discuss the incident for publication.

Secretaries Daniels and Garrison conferred early today and called for

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Nature Smiles.

CORN AND COTTON CROPS THE MOST VALUABLE EVER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—With the most valuable crops of corn and cotton ever produced and the second most valuable oat crop, the value of the nation's fourteen principal farm crops this year aggregates the enormous total of $4,540,301,000, the Department of Agriculture announced today in its final estimates of acreage, production and value. This is an increase of $182,955,000 over the value of the same crops last year and of $350,772,000 over those of 1911, based on the prices paid to farmers on December 1.

The acreage of these crops is equivalent to a farm one-seventh the size of continental United States. The exact area planted to these fourteen crops, which is more than 95 per cent of the total of all crop area, was 299,433,000 acres, an increase of almost 5,000,000 acres over last year's area and of more than 2,000,000 over the 1911 area. More than one-third of the total acreage was planted to corn.

For the crops as a whole the average production an acre was valued at about $16.50. The corn crop averaged $15.96 an acre; cotton $22.19; sugar beets, $59.64; wheat, $12.14; oats, $11.44; sweet potatoes, $63.60; rice $26.68; potatoes, $62.10; tobacco, $100.33, and rye, $12.84.

Political.

HARMONY FEAST OF REPUBLICANS.

Two Propositions Devised for Consideration Today.

One Demands a Special Convention at Once.

Other Calls the Committee to Fix Representation.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Two distinct propositions to be considered by the Republican National Committee here tomorrow were agreed upon late tonight by members of the committee, who dined with Chairman Hilles and talked far into the night over the programme for the meeting. The propositions are:

That a special convention of the Republican party be called immediately to revise the basis of representation in future conventions and make certain changes in methods of procedure.

That the committee itself fix a new basis of representation in party conventions and submit them to the State Republican conventions for ratification, the changes to become effective when approved by the conventions of States in which were cast two-thirds of the total Republican vote in the election of 1908.

Charles B. Warren of Michigan, chairman of the Law Committee, which recently decided that the National Committee was without power to change the basis of representation upon its own authority, submitted the second proposal as a compromise designed to bring together the advocates and opponents of a special convention. Mr. Warren, with Senator Borah of Idaho, former Gov. Hadley of Missouri, Senator Smoot of Utah and Col. Howell of Nebraska, were appointed a committee to frame both propositions for a submission to the meeting tomorrow.

Members said the meeting had been quite harmonious, the only incident to ruffle the calm being a dispute between William Barnes of New York and Senator Borah over the 1912 convention. It was said strong opposition to the special convention plan had developed and that some of those who had advocated it now were inclined to support the Warren compromise.

"GEN. DIAZ OF HAVANA."

Guest so Registers in Washington Hotel But He Is Not the Gen. Felix of Fame.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—A man supposed for a time to be Gen. Felix Diaz, who recently fled from Vera Cruz to Havana, arrived tonight in Washington and registered in a hotel as "Gen. F. Diaz, Havana." He is said to have come from New York and carried very little baggage.

Efforts to see "Diaz" were without avail, as he immediately retired to his room. At the Mexican embassy it was stated they were unaware of the presence here of Gen. Diaz, or that he proposed visiting Washington. They said Gen. Diaz was in Havana when last heard from, awaiting trial on charges growing out of an altercation with a Spaniard.

COMPLETE ALIBI.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

HAVANA, Dec. 15.—Gen. Felix Diaz, who arrived here from Vera Cruz, November 3, apparently has no intention of leaving Havana at present. He occupies apartments at a hotel and was there tonight.

Party Principles First.

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proposed recognition of primary laws and the proposal to change the basis of representation, which would lead to a reduction in the proportion of delegates from Southern States. Discussing the proposed reduction Mr. Hilles pointed out the success of the Republican party in several States south of Mason and Dixon's line and summed up the argument of the opponents of the plan.

"They," he said, "argue that if the party ignores the great body of Republicans; denies representation in its convention to colored men who are disfranchised by an arbitrary militant and unconscionable democracy, it will have wrought a wrong of a far-reaching consequence, that its new slogan of 'just and equal representation' will be a misnomer and that it will have given countenance to a damnable and despotic system.

"It may not be irrelevant to remark," he added, "that if President Wilson's proposal for a Federal primary law should take form and be enacted into a Constitutional law, the few perplexing problems which I have endeavored to State in an impartial manner, would disappear. Even so, the Republican party would, I fancy, continue to hold national conventions, for surely the right of assembly is still left to us as private citizens until the legislation is repealed."

EXPECT FIVE THOUSAND.

Advance Guard of the Students' Volunteer Foreign Mission Convention Arrive in Kansas City.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 15. — Mrs. Katherine Duffield of Wellesley, Miss Eleanor Cory of Smith College and Miss Maude Kelsey of Vassar, secretaries of the students' volunteer movement for foreign missions, arrived here today to prepare for the quadrennial meeting of the body, which will commence December 31. They declared that 5000 delegates would attend the meeting to discuss questions pertaining to foreign missions. Eighty countries will be represented.

The foreign delegates will be headed by 200 Christian Chinese students. All the official delegates have signed pledges to devote their lives to foreign missions in an effort to Christianize the world. Secretary of State Bryan will be among the speakers.

FATHER'S TURN AT LAST.

A Movement Started in Cleveland to Get Him Acquainted with His Sons.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Dec. 15.—A "father and son" movement is to be inaugurated here soon. The object is to promote a closer understanding and a spirit of comradeship between fathers and their sons.

Robert E. Lewis, secretary of the Cleveland Young Men's Christian Association, will issue a call some time this week for a meeting at which plans for the movement will be arranged.

The various aims of the movement are:

To help fathers and sons to understand each other.

To interest fathers in the outside influences their sons meet so that they can help them to avoid evils.

To break down the barriers that often exist between fathers and sons.

TWO OFFICES MADE ONE.

Commandant of Narragansett Naval Station and President of the War College Are United.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEWPORT (R. I.) Dec. 15.—The offices of commandant of the Narragansett Bay naval station and president of the War College were combined today when Rear-Admiral Austin M. Knight, commanding the station, succeeded Capt. William L. Rodgers as head of the college. Capt. Rodgers has been assigned to command the battleship Delaware of the Atlantic fleet.

Orpheus Weeps.

POETS AND SONG WRITERS SEEK REDRESS IN COURT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Poets and song writers from far and near are under subpoena to testify in the trial begun today of Robert J. Kellogg, president of the Kellogg Music Company of this city, under indictment for using the mails to defraud.

The government charges that Kellogg inserted advertisements in many periodicals offering to publish on liberal royalties poems and songs of all sorts. In some cases it is alleged, the Kellogg Music Company offered to set the songs to music. The advertisements lured many songwriters to reply, it is charged, and further correspondence induced them to send the Kellogg firm money on its representation that the songs sent in were masterpieces and would have wide popularity. The money, it is alleged, was to have been used in pushing the sale of the songs, but this was not done.

One of the songs cited by the government as an illustration was written by a Louisiana lawyer, with the sinking of the Titantic as his theme.

"The ocean severed the tie that bound two twain," was the title of this composition.

The author was notified that the piece was a "whale" and bound to make a hit.

The Master Medium

The following figures, which show the direction in which the wind blows in the local advertising field, should be a source not only of interest, but of profit to local advertisers.

During November The Times printed 96,771 inches of paid advertising, which is 16,307 inches more than its nearest local morning contemporary, and 56,893 inches more than its second nearest local morning contemporary.

The combined total volume of advertising printed in November in the morning and evening one "scent" papers, fathered by the alleged "Society for Civic Betterment, was 10,586 inches LESS than that printed in The Times alone during the same month.

The Times completely overwhelms and submerges every other newspaper in Los Angeles in the volume of advertising printed every month in the year, and its performance in November is customary and not unusual.

The ability of The Times to regularly print a much greater volume of advertising than any other newspaper in the world is the outgrowth of its permanent, far-reaching home circulation, which is greater in quantity and better in quality than that of any other local newspaper, and is the logical sequence of printing a newspaper so complete in every detail that no man or woman in this field can afford to do without it.

If you have any doubts as to the purchasing power of The Times' circulation—of its influence with the buying classes in this splendid field—study the following tabulation:

Advertising in Los Angeles Newspapers in November, 1913.

	Inches
FIRST, THE TIMES	96,771
Second, Morning Newspaper	80,464
Third, Morning Newspaper	39,878
First, Evening Newspaper	51,128
Second, Evening Newspaper	46,307
Third, Evening Newspaper	18,300

CHOCOLATE ELIMINATED.

If the American Soldiers Want It They Must Supply Themselves.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Secretary of War Garrison has ordered that no more chocolate rations, long the principal emergency ration of the army, shall be issued to the troops. Dr. C. F. Longworthy of the Agricultural Department has reported that while the nutritive value of the ration is good, "it is defective as to digestibility, and therefore deleterious to the health of its consumers." Dr. Longworthy is now conducting tests to develop a new emergency ration.

Win in Currency Fight.

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eliminate the power of the Federal Reserve Board to suspend reserve requirements. The others proposed minor changes.

Senator Smith of South Carolina made a brief speech, supporting the bill. Senator Vardaman presented telegrams from Mississippi bankers protesting against government control of the regional banks if the banks were to supply capital for the system.

LANE FOR HITCHCOCK.

Senator Lane of Oregon, who did not join the Democratic caucus on the currency bill, announced his intention of supporting the Hitchcock amendment providing for government control of the regional bank scheme. He argued that the proposed banks were to be public utility institutions, and should be under government management.

An argument in favor of the creation of a great central bank to be owned by the people and operated by the government was presented by Senator Works, who expressed a preference for the Hitchcock plan as against the Owen bill.

ON ROOT'S TRAIL.

Democratic Senators renewed the criticism of Senator Root's speech at the night session of the Senate. Senator Williams, referring to the Presidential boom launched for Senator Root by Senator Gallinger, declared it was "wonderful what wreck can be wrought in a sound mind by a Presidential bee." He characterized Senator Root as a great man who had recently been awarded the Nobel peace prize, but added: "I have never been able to satisfy myself why." He declared the "plutocratic press," had heralded Senator Root's speech as a great attack on the currency bill, but he insisted that Senator Root's premises were entirely wrong. No inflation of the currency could result from the new law, he said, because of the restraining influence of the Federal Reserve Board.

Chairman Owen of the Banking Committee challenged the statements of Senator Root that in case of a financial disturbance the gold of America would be drained out when foreigners unloaded American securities. The European financial interests, he said, were anxious to keep conditions stable in this country as in Europe and in 1907 America was able to draw large quantities of gold from Europe.

"We were able to get gold enough to make up for the vast quantities that were hoarded in this country," he said. "I believe gold was hoarded then in New York for the criminal purpose of breaking the stock market.

"That is not to be charged against the banker; it was ruinous to the banker. But there have been certain men in New York who have used the bankers as they would use pawns on a chessboard. There are men who regard the bankers as their servants, as their hired men to carry out their bidding.

"They have played that game for the last time. This bill takes out of their hands the power to make or break the financial and industrial fabric of the country."

Senators Hitchcock and Lane joined the Republicans in voting against the motion to table the public ownership amendment. Immediately after the vote Senator Clapp attacked the Democratic leaders in strong terms for having cut off debate on so important a feature of the currency bill.

The Democratic attitude in favoring bank control of the new regional banks was declared by Senator Clapp to be a complete reversal of the previous attitude of the Democratic party. He said the officers of the regional reserve bank in New York would be named by Wall street and that the "ramifications of that Wall street influence would reach to every corner of the country."

INTERLOCKING DIRECTORATE.

Allegation That One Group of Men Controls Two Great Chicago Utilities Is Made in Court Attack.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—An attack on an alleged interlocking directorate of two of Chicago's largest public utility corporations, the Commonwealth Edison Company and the People's Gas Light and Coke Company, was made today by James J. McCarthy, a minority stockholder in the gas company.

McCarthy applied for an injunction to restrain the directors of the gas company from issuing any stock or bonds and restraining Samuel Insull, John J. Mitchell and James A. Patten, all of whom are directors of both companies, from acting as officers or directors of the gas company, giving as his reason their connection with the Commonwealth Edison Company.

The bill, which was filed in the Circuit Court of Cook county, asserts that the stockholders of the Commonwealth Edison Company have obtained control of the gas company and conspired to manage its affairs, lessen its business, decrease the value of its shares, freeze out the small stockholders and take over the assets of the gas company, including a surplus of $16,000,000. The bill alleges that the virtual amalgamation has removed competition for the lighting business of the city and asserts that this condition is contrary to public policy. The bill recites:

"In furtherance of the alleged conspiracy to freeze out the smaller shareholders, the gas company directors called a meeting on November 14 and passed a resolution authorizing an increase of the capital stock of the gas company from $35,000,000 to $50,000,000.

Tonight.

Tonight if you feel dull and stupid, or bilious and constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will feel all right tomorrow.—[Advertisement.

Mexico.

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to have been filed on behalf of the foreign element of Chihuahua, the leaders assert that something must be done to stem the tide of popular indignation.

That the country is in danger of running afoul of impending international complications was evidenced by the fact that some of the European consular agents have begun to make inquiries regarding the allegations of misconduct on the part of Villa and his men.

No attempt was made to explain why Gen. Carranza had not carried out his plan of going to Chihuahua, as he promised to do more than two weeks ago, and it is believed Villa's conduct may be largely responsible for Constitutionalist inactivity in Sonora.

Many of the army officers expressed themselves as of the opinion that Villa intended to start a campaign of loot previous to retiring, but the general opinion seems to prevail that he intends to invade Mexico City if possible regardless of orders from others.

Consul Hostetter of this city said that he had received no communications from Washington regarding the alleged outrages.

MEXICAN CONGRESS STANDS ADJOURNED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—From now until April 2, President Huerta will be obliged to conduct the government without Congress, as that specially created organization was formally adjourned today. Its most important acts while in session were the ratification of the President's assumption of power over the various departments of the government, after dissolving the preceding Congress, and regranting to the President this same power, which gives Gen. Huerta until Congress convenes again, practically the sway of a dictator.

Altogether, the new Congress was unobtrusive, interfering not at all with the executive's ideas of government. Its most notable act aside from those directly connected with the executive plans, was the ratification of a concession to a Belgian syndicate to construct 5000 miles of narrow-gauge railway.

The Constitutionalist, Gen. Villa's, treatment of the Spaniards at Chihuahua has aroused the keen sympathies of the colony here. The Spanish Minister, Senor Cologan y Cologan, sent to Washington today through the American charge, Nelson O'Shaughnessy, his thanks for the efforts made by the government to relieve his countrymen at that place.

The situation around Tampico is declared by the government to be satisfactory.

STATE DEPARTMENT KEPT IN THE DARK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Except for a telegram from American Consul Letcher telling of threats of expulsion of Spaniards and confiscation of their property, the State Department up to a late hour today had received no official information concerning reported indignities to other foreigners by Mexican Constitutionalists at Chihuahua city.

Secretary Bryan said there had been no interference with Consul Letcher's telegrams by the Constitutionalists and that so far as he had been able to learn, no threats had been made to any of the foreign consuls. The secretary announced that because of a break in the wire communication between Chihuahua and Jaurez, American Consul Edwards at the latter place had decided to avail himself of the services of G. D. Carrothers, Consular Agent at Torreon, who arrived today at El Paso on his way back to his post by way of Chihuahua. Mr. Carrothers will carry any communications which Mr. Edwards has and will assist Mr. Letcher at Chihuahua until the situation is normal there.

No instructions to Consul Letcher beyond those sent on Saturday as a result of representations by the Spanish Ambassador here have been dispatched by the State Department. The telegram to Mr. Letcher was described by Mr. Bryan as the same sort of representations that have been made to Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa on previous occasions, vigorously pointing to the importance of respecting foreigners and their property. Mr. Letcher was instructed to urge that no summary action be taken with reference to Luis Terrazas, Jr., the wealthy land owner, reported to have been taken forcibly from the British consulate by Villa's men.

FEDERAL PLANS ANNOYING VILLA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 15.—While rebel headquarters in Juarez was sending urgent messages today to Gen. Francisco Villa, the rebel commander at Chihuahua, telling him he was incurring the displeasure of foreign countries in his actions toward Spaniards and other foreigners and asking him to modify his attitude, Gen. Villa was said to be seriously concerned over renewed Federal activity.

Reports were that Federals were advancing toward Chihuahua from Torreon, about 200 miles south. Villa has had to scatter his forces by sending troops to surround the Federals at Ojinaga, on the border, while garrisoning Juarez and Chihuahua. This was said to offer the Federals an opportunity to strike at Chihuahua, which was evacuated by them when Villa had all his forces together. Federal troops also were reported on their way from Monterey with a view of strengthening the position of the Huerta government in the interior.

An attack on Chihuahua, which is not regarded as imminent, would cut Villa off from any base on the border.

The plan which the rebel forces think the Federals possibly are trying to work out, is to draw as many as possible of the rebels toward Ojinaga, while Federals from the South reach Chihuahua. Others believe that the Federal activity southward may be merely a preparation to check Villa's projected march on Torreon. The Federals who retook Torreon, according to refugees, now also occupy Parras, and have charge of all the industries owned by the Madero family in the State of Coahuila.

The situation at Chihuahua because of the protests of Spaniards against their expulsion from Mexico was less critical today. It was understood that arrangements were made for sending an official inquiry from the American government to Villa through Consul Letcher. Villa was making progress with the disposal of goods which he seized from the Spaniards. All the foodstuffs and clothing in the Spanish retail stores were sold at less than half price and Constitutionalist money was accepted.

Word came that Luis Terrazas, Jr., for whose relief from prison an appeal was sent to Secretary of State Bryan, already had granted forced loans to Villa. This took the form of checks in small denominations, aggregating $250,000, and the checks were being used as currency.

An explanation given by Gen. Benavides, commander at Juarez, regarding Villa's acts in Chihuahua was that Villa had been consistent to his own idea as to what warfare was, but had been without advice in regard to the rights of foreigners.

There was no fighting today at Ojinaga.

CONDITIONS AT TAMPICO NORMAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The following message, dated 2 p.m. today, was received tonight by the Navy Department from Rear-Admiral Fletcher:

"Business resumed and normal conditions in Tampico and vicinity. Water renewed and no indications of further disorder. Cannot return refugees to Tampico until weather moderates. German steamer Cecilie leaves today. Logician will be delayed for present. Sumner will arrive outside at 6 p.m. and Ward liner will return Tuesday."

FEDERAL DISTRICT TOWN ATTACKED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—Milpa Alta, a town in the Federal district sixteen miles south of the capital, was attacked today by a strong Zapata band. The Federal garrison was routed and a number of Federals were killed.

Mounted police were dispatched from the capital, whereupon the rebels retired to San Lorenzo in the mountains a short distance away.

SILVER SHORTAGE IS RELIEVED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—Currency of the State banks, with few exceptions, is being refused. All bills are closely scrutinized when offered in exchange. The one-peso notes recently put in circulation have relieved the shortage of silver to a large extent.

MORE TROOPS AT ENSENADA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO (Cal.) Dec. 15.—George W. Beermaker, the local agent of the Compania Naviere del Pacifico, today received a telegram from Ensenada, saying that the steamer Benito Juarez, which had just arrived there from Mazatlan, brought 400 Mexican soldiers from that city to Ensenada. No explanation of this movement of troops was given in the telegram.

There is no reason to suppose that the Ensenada garrison, which already numbered 500, needed reinforcements. On the other hand, as Mazatlan is besieged by the Constitutionalists, it appears strange that so large a part of the Federal force there should be withdrawn. With the arrival of the 400 soldiers at Ensenada the Federals in the Lower California now number about 1500 men.

VILLA RELEASES TEXAN.

Needing a Surgeon in His Rebel Army the Constitutionalist Chief Obtains One in Chihuahua Prison.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ABILENE, (Tex.) Dec. 15.—A promise of release from prison made by Gen. Villa to Dr. Charles S. Harle, who had served ten years on conviction of murder, was kept by the rebel general immediately after his occupation of Chihuahua city, according to a letter received today by Harle's mother.

After Harle's conviction he was sentenced to be shot but execution was delayed several years while the case was being affirmed by the higher court. Then the sentence was commuted to 10 years imprisonment. All efforts of friends to secure Harle's release were unavailing until Villa promised to act if he captured Chihuahua city. Harle was released December 8, the letter said, and has been made a surgeon in the rebel army with the rank of major.

COUNTING THE DEAD.

One Hundred and Ninety Federal Soldiers Are Said to Have Been Killed in the Salinas Battle.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LAREDO (Tex.) Dec. 15.—One hundred and ninety-six Federal dead were counted after a battle against Constitutionalists at Salinas, thirty miles north of Monterey, last Friday, according to a telephone report received at Constitutionalist headquarters here today. The report said a force of 250 Federals, en route to reinforce the Nuevo Laredo garrison, encountered 800 rebels under Santos Coy and were cut to pieces. No revolutionists were killed, it was asserted.

PASADENA MEN'S WHEREABOUTS

REBELS DENY HOLDING THEM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The State Department is still unable to clear up the mystery as to the whereabouts of Windham and Bull, the two Pasadena men who were held for ransom by the Mexicans. The State Department today received a dispatch relayed from Hermosillo via Nogales saying that Col. Buelna declared that no American citizen was held by his orders either in Quimichis or any other place, and that the demands for money have been withdrawn.

TO SAFEGUARD SPANIARDS.

ASK UNCLE SAM'S AID.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

MADRID, Dec. 15.—The Spanish government is disposed to commit the safeguarding of interests in Mexico to the United States government, according to an announcement made today by the Spanish Premier, Eduardo Dato. He added that preliminary steps had been taken already with that end in view.

Another Mexican Loan.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The Imparcial today quotes an anonymous banker as stating that the Mexican government had secured a loan of $10,000,000 from English capitalists.

To Reappoint Clements.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] President Wilson has practically decided to reappoint Judson C. Clements of Georgia as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission. He will soon announce the names of those to succeed the late John B. Marble and Charles A. Prouty.

Womankind.

PRINCESSES FOR AMERICA.

"Civic Centers" May Also Create Duchesses.

Titles Suggested to Arouse Interest in Cause.

"They're Great Attractions," Miss Reed Declares.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Ye Knights of Old" may come to Chicago.

Miss Grace Reed, chairman of the Terminal Committee of the Political Equality League, favors the customs and titles of the medieval times as a means of creating interest in civic problems in any of the large cities. She explained at length how the titles could be distributed in Chicago to advantage in promoting the city beautiful idea.

Society of the city would be made up of queens, princesses, duchesses, baronesses and countesses, each to rule undisputed over a certain district, according to the plans of Miss Reed.

Miss Reed, who is principal of the Frances Willard School, explained her plan at a joint meeting of women's clubs held in the Auditorium Hotel.

"A title is just about the greatest attraction in the world for American women," said Miss Reed. "Why not put this fact to some use? American girls will go over the water and marry unprincipled men just for the sake of being addressed 'your highness,' and they would do almost anything to receive a title here.

"We could elect one woman at the head of a committee whose duty it is to see that State street is kept clean. She would be 'queen of State street,' and those in her committee countesses.

"Of necessity, some woman would be placed in charge of looking after the beautification of the Chicago River. We could dub her a 'baroness,' or, if she would rather, a 'princess.'

"Then, of course, there would be ladies-in-waiting, duchesses, and we might even create a few new titles just to be original.

"I suggest also that we have a duchy of boulevard links, a principality of the straightened river, a baronage of the parks and the house of depressed freight tracks. These titled persons, as in the feudal days, would be responsible for their own districts.

"The securing of titles would soon become a fashionable fad, and in order to earn them, women, who have plenty of time and money would be enlisted vigorously in the securing of a beautiful city."

Miss Reed also suggested that all women's clubs in the city should unite immediately to take up the various phases of the terminal problem.

Five years ago Miss Reed created a sensation in the city when she declared that a respectably conducted saloon was a legitimate business. She declared that the secret of success in civic work was the enlisting of the women in the movement and this could be accomplished by uniting in the work either as clubs or as individuals.

TRIES A NO-SLEEP STRIKE.

The Militant Miss Pankhurst Has a New Stunt for Delectation of Prison Authorities.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, the militant suffragette agitator, since her arrest on December 10, has adopted the more drastic method of adding a "no sleep" strike to her "hunger and thirst strike" in order to force the prison authorities to release her. She accomplished this by walking continuously. Her condition already is serious and her friends expect her release shortly.

The police, however, plan to keep both Miss Pankhurst and her mother in jail until after today's weekly meeting of the Women's Social and Political Union.

In the meantime, the militants continue their violent tactics. The arson squad last night burned down an empty mansion near Bristol. Another party broke every window in the Richmond Police Station.

Miss Zelie Emerson, the American suffragette, was arraigned at the Police Court today, charged with disturbing the peace last evening in the Bow district of the East End of London. She appeared in the prisoners' enclosure with one arm in a sling. It had been badly wrenched in the scuffle with the police.

The police testified that Miss Emerson had smashed a policeman's helmet with the pole of a banner she was carrying.

The magistrate remanded her for a week on bail.

ARSON SQUAD RESUMES.

Property Worth Over Four Hundred Thousand Dollars Destroyed by Militant Suffragettes at Devonport.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The suffragette arson squad today set fire to a lumber yard at Devonport and destroyed property worth over $400,000.

The lumber yards and contiguous adjoining property were dreadfully before the blaze was under control.

Quantities of suffragette literature and placards bearing the words, "Revenge for the Arrest of Mrs. Pankhurst," were found scattered about.

The scene of the fire is the one where "Gen." Flora Drummond and other militants awaited Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst on her arrival in England from the United States on December 4, when the suffragette leader was arrested.

Miss Sylvia Pankhurst will be released from Holloway Jail this morning. The militant suffragette appealed today straight to King George on behalf of their leader, Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst. At the weekly meeting of the Women's Social and Political Union, the president announced that a telegram had been sent to the King as follows:

"In Your Majesty's name, a sick woman is being done to death in Holloway Jail. We call on Your Majesty to stop this crime before it is too late."

RAID THE COLLINS FAMILY.

Masked Men Burn Their Homes in Missouri, Beat Up Some of Them and Warn Them to Leave.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Mo.) Dec. 15.—Fifteen masked and armed men, said to have been feud enemies of the Collins family of Old Horton, an [illegible] village in Howell county, rode into the town yesterday, burned five houses belonging to the family, severely beat several of the Collins and warned them to leave the community immediately on pain of death.

News of the affair reached here today. The marauders went to the home of Mrs. Jane Collins. Her daughter, Pareloe, was whipped with switches. Mrs. Collins, who is blind, was handled roughly but not seriously injured. After removing the children and furniture from the house, the men set fire to the building and watched it burn to the ground.

The home of Dan Collins was next visited by the band and the house and barn fired. Two other houses belonging to the family, but unoccupied, were burned. Ten persons are said to have been warned to leave the village and never to return.

IT MEANS BANKRUPTCY.

The Burlington Offers Testimony to Show It Cannot Afford Increase Demanded by Trainmen.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Statistics purporting to show that the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad would face bankruptcy if it granted the wage demands of its conductors and trainmen, was submitted today to the arbitrators who will decide the controversy.

Figures were also submitted to controvert assertions that conductors and trainmen, of all employees, received the smallest proportional increases in pay in the last ten years. This was the railroad's first testimony.

SEVENTH PEACE TREATY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Secretary Bryan and Chevalier Van Ingenpard, The Netherlands Minister, today agreed on terms of a peace treaty embodying the principles of the arbitration plan announced early in the present administration. This will be the seventh of the peace treaties of the first negotiated with a European nation.

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RIGHT ABOUT BY REDFIELD.

'ill Restraint of Trade Is Unreasonable, He Says.

Secretary Would Incorporate His Views in a Law.

Ils Programme a Part of the "Wilson Policy."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Besides outlining plans for an extensive investigation into the economic featthe trust problem, Secre- Redfield of the Department of Commerce in his first annual report mends legislation to presume all restraints of trade are unreasonable and to place the burden of establishing the reasonableness of the restraint upon the person alleging it; to prohibit interlocking directorates; to prohibit "watering" of stocks; and to prohibit corporations and persons from owning stocks in or otherwise competing companies.

Beyond only in interest to Mr. Redfield's views on the trust question, are his plans for developing trade of the United States abroad by a reorganization of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

The trust question and the work laid out for the Bureau of Corporations, which will range from an investigation of whether trusts are effective to a study of the economic laws governing the fixing of retail prices, bears an important relation to President Wilson's legislative programme.

FROM THE REPORT.

Secretary Redfield discusses it exhaustively and substantially outlines his views as follows:

"There is a growing question in the minds of experienced and business men as to whether the present form of organization is industrially efficient and whether bigness and bulk are always necessary to production at the lowest cost. It may be conceded that massing of capital and the grouping of great quantities of labor have certain elements of efficiency. But it is doubtful, at best, whether these favorable elements and all the factors that exist and whether there does not come a point of maximum efficiency at minimum cost beyond which an increase of plant means an increase of cost per unit of that product.

"It is significant that some of the great trusts have ceased to exist; that others pay but moderate dividends, if any, on their securities, and that side by side with the most virile and supposedly the most efficient of them have grown up independent organizations quite as successful and perhaps earning even more than their capital than their powerful competitors.

"There is no criticism here of 'big business' as such, but merely the question as to whether 'big business' can put its very marked limitations at whether there are not cases where bigness is rather less desirable than efficiency.

"The purpose of the Bureau of Corporations is to study patiently and as we may know whether these big things are but images with feet of clay. There can be no objection on the part of anyone, whatever his line of industry, toward a study which shall determine the truth, and that truth, if it be indeed the truth, will itself determine in the final result the course which the Legislature and the Executive may wisely take concerning these matters.

"It is important that we should have the truth about the fixing of retail prices and as to whether giving the privilege of so fixing the price to a manufacturer tends toward monopoly or does not so tend. Those who are sincere and well informed do not think alike on this question, but whatever their views it is to be agreed that no thorough study has ever been made of the subject in this country. Nations abroad have set to favor by law that which we forbid.

"The law with us is for the time being the decisions of the Supreme Court that the fixing of retail prices by the part of manufacturers is unlawful, however, new legislation may result in the future be required, it is important that the truth be known. What legislation be done, not so much as to the manufacturer as to the consuming public.

"Fair men, well-informed, argue that the fixing of retail prices under circumstances where competition in manufacture exists tends to promote efficiency. Others say that the result is to permit the fixing of retail prices leads to monopoly because in the absence of robust competition certain to survive and may eventually obviously the stronger competitors will survive and may eventually come to have the business in its own hands. Where the law forbids the making of agreements to maintain prices, they say, under circumstances the weaker must go to the wall. Such are the views expressed by business men on a matter in which the consumer is interested because all people need buy such articles, it is important that the subject should receive careful study, and this the purpose of Corporations purposes to do.

"That there are immediate and remediable conditions that should be remedied by law is apparent. Some of these remedies are, for example, a law providing that there shall be a presumption that all restraints of trade are unreasonable, thereby the burden of establishing the reasonableness of such restraints upon the party alleging it; legislation preventing the watering of stock, that corporations shall not purchase such other competing companies, and that neither a person nor corporation shall at the same time be a controlling interest in two or more competing corporations, or that directors of corporations shall not be officers directly or indirectly by which in other corporations.

"Congress will undoubtedly address itself to some of these aspects of the trust with curative provisions. Whether such legislation, however, there still remains a fundamental fact to be determined, namely, whether the trust or monopoly is socially and economically desirable in production, as is alleged; and if not the solution of this problem lies in the ultimate attitude of government toward combinations and conditions in business.

"As old investigations, those on railroads, water transportation, the steel industry, and corporate taxation remain to be concluded by the publication of additional reports, but all will probably be closed up within the next twelve months. In addition to these are the new investigations of the fertilizer industry, the relationship of the Oklahoma oil fields to the general oil market, and the cotton pool.

"An investigation of trade agreements is also in progress, with a view to establishing some facts as to what agreements, if any, apparently in restraint of trade, are really in aid of competition and should be exempted from the operation of the Sherman Act. There is also an investigation pending with reference to the merits and demerits of a condition which prohibits a uniform price from being fixed by manufacturers and jobbers, binding upon retailers, as to articles of their manufacture."

REORGANIZATION.

Secretary Redfield outlines his plans for a reorganization of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce:

"Our foreign commerce has grown by leaps and bounds until during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913, it reached the great total of $4,279,000,000 in value. Of this great sum $2,466,000,000 were exports and $1,813,000,000 were imports, showing a trade balance on these transactions in our favor of $652,000,000. It certainly cannot be said that the government has done much to foster this great and growing trade. In the estimates for the coming fiscal year, therefore, a sum has been included which will provide for the reorganization of the bureau into such form as will make it the basis for productive effort in developing American industries in every field which is normal to them, at home and abroad.

"Briefly stated, the proposed organization provides for commercial attaches to be located at each of fourteen capitals, accredited to our embassies there by the Department of State, but reporting directly to the Department of Commerce. Their purpose will be to study the commerce and industries of the nations where they reside. They will have no other duties. They will collaborate with the Consuls, having the advantage of the larger view and of the freedom from other cares.

"It is recommended that the Consuls shall on purely commercial matters report directly to the Department of Commerce and that they shall cooperate with the commercial attaches in presenting between them a complete and unified knowledge of the commerce and industries of our great competitors. These two forces should normally supplement each other—the attache has the general field, the Consul the particular field. The one collects, the other co-ordinates. Each supplies with the other that which without him we could not have. Each is at once a corrective and an incentive to the other.

"It is intended to enlarge the force of commercial agents which is composed of special investigators, trained in their separate lines of study, each pursuing some special theme, and for that purpose traveling from country to country wherever information on that subject can be had. For this purpose a special appropriation of $100,000 is asked for the study of commercial conditions in South America.

"Possibly I may have erred in not asking a more adequate provision for this great work. Certainly it is not consistent with our national self-respect to ask for less. It should be noted, finally, that now is the appointed time. We have spent several hundred millions preparing the Panama Canal and the nations of the world have been getting ready for its use, while we have done almost nothing actively to promote the commerce which should repay the nation, in part at least, for this vast outlay.

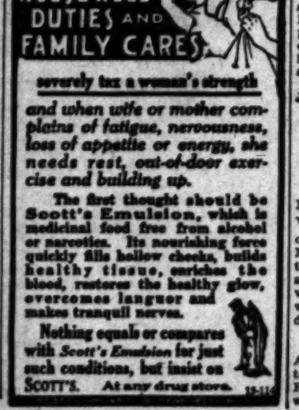
"It remains to state but one further point of important policy that the department desires to carry out. It wishes to supplement the inquiry now drawing to a close into the cost of production in the pottery industry by undertaking an inquiry into the cost of production of clothing of all kinds and of different materials, including hosiery, knit goods, and their fellows.

"It is recalled that not only is this a matter which affects every man and woman in the country, but that it is a subject which has been approached several times, but which has never received thoughtful study as a whole. The late tariff board inquired into the cost of cotton and woolen and worsted cloth, and to some extent into the costs of making knit goods and hosiery. It did not, however, pursue its inquiries fully into the cost of making all clothing of various kinds. Different States and municipalities have given study to the important question of wages and labor in the clothing industries, and to the working conditions in them. No one to my knowledge has ever correlated the work of the various public and private organizations—national, State, and municipal—and has added to them an inquiry into the fundamental elements of cost in these industries.

"Such a study should have important social results. It should develop the question as to whether the sweatshop is economically efficient or whether, by a properly organized and more scientific method of manufacture it would not be eliminated by the natural operation of economic law."

WHAT HE WANTS.

For all the work of his great department Secretary Redfield asks Congress to appropriate $15,800,270, an increase of a little more than $4,000,000 over the present year. The remainder of his report is devoted to a review of the work of the bureau of fisheries, the steamboat inspection service, the bureau of navigation and its efforts for the promotion of safety at sea; the census, the bureau of standards, and important work it is conducting for municipalities, and the activities of the bureau of lighthouses and the coast and geodetic survey.



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FOR THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

Appropriation of One Million Seven Hundred and Twenty-nine Thousand Dollars Is Asked of Congress.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Appropriations totalling $1,729,012 to cover 1155 claims tried by the court of claims, and referred back to Congress for final action are made in a war claims bill passed today by the House. Some of the claims have been awaiting appropriations for eight or nine years and include claims of volunteer officers of the Union army in the Civil War, and the war against Spain; churches, schools, hospitals and municipal buildings demanded during the war.

CALIFORNIA AWARDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] California awards in the omnibus claims bill, passed by the House today were: Joseph M. Clark, Santa Clara county, $184; Wilford Cubbage, San Bernardino county, $137; Richard N. Doyle, Los Angeles, $397; Andrew J. Guilford, Alameda county, $547; David H. Hildebrand, Sacramento county, $480; Julia H. Castle, Los Angeles, $576.

NEED ANOTHER JUDGE.

Stephens and Kettner Explain to Congressional Committee Big Business Increase in Southern California.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Congressmen Stephens and Kettner appeared today before the Judiciary Committee in answer to a request by the committee for the detailed reasons why it is necessary to create an additional Federal judgeship for Southern California. Both Congressmen explained at length the need of an additional judge and showed where the continuation of four cases alone cost the government the sum of $4500 in witness fees.

They also submitted the statement of the clerk of the court showing the increase of business for 1912, 1913 and prospective increase for 1914. A number of petitions by bar associations and commercial bodies were filed.

THE IMMIGRATION BILL.

With the Clause Inserted That Caused Its Veto by Mr. Taft the Measure Is Reported for Passage.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—With an overwhelming majority in its favor, the Burnett immigration bill, including a literacy test, such as was vetoed by President Taft, was ordered reported today by the House Immigration Committee.

The committee cleared up its differences relating to militant suffragists and advocates of sabotage and other forms of violence by adopting an amendment which provides for the deportation of "any alien who at any time within three years after entry shall be found in the United States advocating or teaching the unlawful destruction of property or advocating or teaching the overthrow of organized government or the assassination of any public official."

That, it was agreed, would include advocates of sabotage, anarchists or militant suffragettes who might advocate destruction of property.

The committee did not adopt any special amendment relating to the exclusion of Asiatics, leaving that to the general provisions of the bill relating to the requirements for naturalization. It was stated, however, that questions relating to Asiatic immigration would be taken up with the State Department.

Representative Moore of Pennsylvania submitted a minority report against the literacy test provision. The majority report said in connection with the specific inhibition inhibition against Asiatic immigrants:

"Most of the committee, if not all of them, believe that some stringent measures should speedily be adopted to prevent the influx of Hindus and other Asiatics to the Pacific Coast, but on account of the delay that it might cause to the passage of this bill, we thought we should not go further into this question at this time than is done in section three by the provision which excludes those ineligible to naturalization and with the limitation contained in that provision." (The provision relates to existing or future treaties.)

PYTHIAN KNIGHTS' ISSUE.

Contest Between the White and Negro Lodges of Tennessee Is Ended in United States Supreme Court.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The contest between the white and negro lodges of Knights of Pythias in Tennessee over the use of the organization name came to a close today when the white lodges informed the Supreme Court that their contention that a decision in the Tennessee courts gave them exclusive right to use the name was erroneous. Their action was based probably on a decision of the Supreme Court last year, in a contest between white and negro lodges in Georgia.

THE CORPORATION TAX.

Supreme Court Denies a Request to Review Decision It Is Not Collectable on Mutual Insurance Dividends.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Supreme Court today refused the government's request to review the decision of the Circuit Court at Philadelphia that the corporation tax was not collectable from "dividends" of mutual insurance companies, consisting of premiums returned or otherwise invested at the option of the policyholder. As a result the government will be required to refund about $1,500,000 already collected and to forego any such collections under the present income tax law.

The power of a State to tax net receipts of life insurance companies in each county was upheld today by the Supreme Court, in a case where the New York Life Insurance Company resisted the collection of a tax by Deer Lodge county, Montana. The company contended vainly that the action of the State was an interference with interstate commerce. Justices Hughes and Vandevanter dissented.

JOURNEY TO MT. VERNON.

Masonic Lodges Put Wreaths on George Washington's Tomb on the Anniversary of His Death.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Three Masonic lodges with which George Washington was at various times connected joined in a pilgrimage to Mt. Vernon and placed wreaths on his tomb in commemoration of the 114th anniversary of his death. The anniversary really was yesterday, but it was decided to hold the services today.

The lodges that participated were: Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Alexandria, Va., of which Washington was the first Worshipful Master; Fredericksburg (Va.) Lodge, No. 4, where he was made a Mason, and Washington Lodge of New York City, where Washington made his Masonic home while in that city.

WILSON KEEPS INDOORS.

President Works Leisurely at the Task of Signing Commissions and Reading Official Documents.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Wilson worked leisurely today, signing a number of commissions and reading many official documents. He did not go to the executive offices, but stayed in the upper apartments of the White House on the advice of his physician, who suggested his remaining in an even temperature until his cold should have entirely disappeared.

The President stayed indoors against his own wishes, yielding to the advice of his doctor. He was said by Dr. Grayson tonight to have improved in health and appeared almost entirely recovered, but as a precaution he said the President probably would be kept indoors for another day or two. The President had the Hetch Hetchy bill before him today and is awaiting a report from Secretary Lane before signing it.

MEAT BILL REDUCED.

Navy Department Buys from the Argentinians and Forces Down the American Prices.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The recent action of the Navy Department in buying beef from Argentina has forced down the prices of American packers. This is shown, the Navy Department announced today, by bids just opened at various offices from competitors and domestic contracts for the months of January, February and March. At every port, excepting Norfolk and Hampton Roads, prices for American beef were based on Argentine quotations, resulting in a saving of several thousand dollars. Awards will be placed for American beef at all ports except the two mentioned, those awards going to Argentina.

"Under the old high tariff laws," said Secretary Daniels, "this saving could not be effected, but the recent Democratic tariff bill allows the importation of foreign meats free of duty."

MISSOURI HARVESTER CASE.

ISSUE IN SUPREME COURT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Missouri's fight to oust the International Harvester Company of America from the State because of alleged violation of the anti-trust laws began today before the Supreme Court. Atty.-Gen. Barker filed a motion to dismiss the company's appeal from the ouster decision of the Missouri courts on the ground that no Federal question was involved to warrant the Supreme Court's consideration. The case will come up for oral argument probably Friday.

SAN VICENTI LIGHT.

APPROPRIATION URGED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Harbor Commission has written Congressmen Stephens and Bell urging that the appropriation for a light at Point San Vicenti, which was agreed to by the last session, but afterward eliminated from the bill, be inserted in the appropriation this year. Both Congressmen will endeavor to have this much-needed light-house provided for.

TO EXTEND MAIL SERVICE.

EL CENTRO TO DIXIELAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] From January 1 the railroad mail service from El Centro to Seeley will be extended to Dixieland, a distance of 5.47 miles. The star route service between Fresno and Visalia will, in the future, include the dispatch of newspaper mail to Exeter, Lindsay, Strathmore and Porterville.

Set Date for Henry Case.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Whether the government may bring here for trial George G. Henry, a New York banker indicted for contempt of Congress, because he refused to answer questions in the House money trust investigation, was today set for argument in the Supreme Court on January 5. Henry refused to give the names of certain bankers who had profited by syndicate operations in California petroleum.

Street Frontage as a Basis.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The right of a city to assess paving costs on land owners according to the frontage on street improved was today upheld by the Supreme Court in the case of Elkins, W. Va. Similar questions were pending in Baltimore, Md., and other cities.

San Francisco Dry Dock Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] A $3,000,000 navy dry dock on San Francisco Bay was proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Perkins. The dry dock would accommodate the "largest battleship afloat."

Names Herd for Postmaster.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President today sent to the Senate the name of J. W. Herd to be postmaster at Oil Center.

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Bryan Declares Panama Fair a Great Enterprise.

Renews Country's Invitation to Entire World.

Secretary Is Toastmaster at Diplomats' Dinner.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Secretary Bryan renewed tonight the American government's invitation to the nations of the world through their diplomatic representatives here to participate in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

The occasion was a dinner given by the Secretary of State to the diplomatic corps, members of the cabinet, members of the Senate and House of Representatives and other officials of the government, to meet Charles C. Moore, the president of the exposition. In order, as Secretary of State Bryan expressed it, "that you might hear from him about the progress that is being made in the carrying out of the plans of this great enterprise."

CALIFORNIA REPRESENTED.

More than a hundred guests sat around the banquet table in "the hall of the Americas" at the Pan-American Union building. Secretary Bryan was toastmaster and those present included all the members of the diplomatic corps, Secretaries Daniels, Houston, Wilson, Lane and Redfield; Atty.-Gen. McReynolds, Postmaster-Gen. Burleson, majority leader Underwood and minority leader Mann of the House and the entire delegation in Congress from California.

The speakers were Secretary Bryan, Mr. Moore, the French ambassador, M. Jusserand and Secretary Daniels.

Secretary Bryan in his introductory remarks, emphasized on behalf of President Wilson the administration's interest in the exposition. The secretary made known that President Wilson would before long reccommend an additional appropriation for the erection of a suitable building to house the exhibits of the Federal Government at the exposition.

"Everything that can be done by any member of the administration," announced Secretary Bryan, "will be done, to make the exposition what it ought to be and must be."

INTERNATIONAL.

"In the presence of these distinguished Ambassadors and Ministers," continued the Secretary, "I beg to say that this is not only a great national enterprise, but we feel that it is more than that—it is a great international enterprise. We are celebrating by this exposition the opening of a waterway between two oceans and if there is anything which should draw forth the interest of the nations of the world, certainly this event can."

"On behalf of this government," said the Secretary in conclusion, "I invite all of the old nations to the east of us and the rising nations across the Pacific to join with us in the celebration of this worthy and epoch-making event."

WILL OPEN ON TIME.

Mr. Moore, who followed, gave a comprehensive portrayal of the progress being made on the enterprise and said the exposition will be ready on the minute to open on February 20, 1915.

Ambassador Jusserand expressed his sympathy in the exposition and predicted that it would be a success.

Secretary Daniels spoke of the great naval pageant which is to join in celebrating the opening of the Panama Canal and proceed to the exposition. More than fifteen great nations, he said, have accepted this government's invitation to participate.

THINK ENGLISH WAVER.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Daily Chronicle, which may be regarded as a government organ, announces that the Cabinet Council yesterday discussed the question of British representation at the Panama-Pacific Exposition. The Chronicle says that no decision was reached, but that it is confidently anticipated that the government will not display a penurious spirit in a matter of such importance.

DISMISSES PHONE RATE SUIT.

Colorado Federal Court Declares It Has No Jurisdiction in the Company's Appeal.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Dec. 15.—The United States District Court today dismissed for lack of jurisdiction the suit brought by the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company to prevent the enforcement of the so-called Brown ordinance, reducing the telephone rates in Denver. The action was taken on the motion of the city. The corporation had sought an injunction, in the meantime retaining its old rates.

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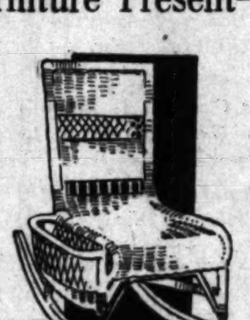

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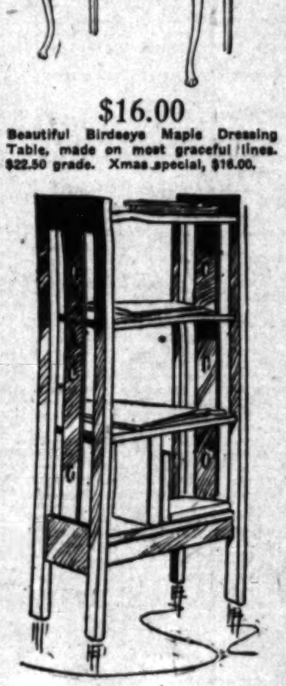

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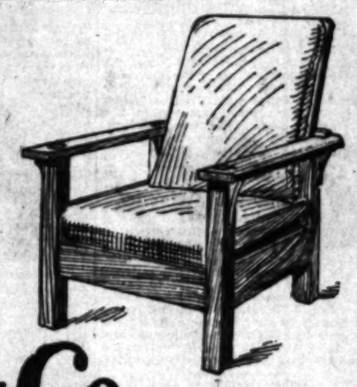

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a statement of explanation from Rear-Admiral Howard and Quartermaster-General Aleshire, the highest ranking officers at the dinner.

Secretary Daniels at the same time suggested to Admiral Howard that he decline the presidency of the order, to which he was elected last Thursday, and informed him that the song "Damn, Damn, Damn the Insurrectos," which was sung at the banquet, should never be sung again under the present administration with officers of the navy present.

HIT BIRD FLUTTERS.

The President expressed his intention to members of his Cabinet after he had read published accounts of one banquet. He felt particularly displeased over the travesty on the administration's peace policy and criticisms aimed at Secretary Bryan when three six-foot models of battleships, borne by concealed boys, were carried into the banquet-room. In the muzzle of the guns were stuck nosegays and a milk-white dove was perched on each fighting top. They were named "U.S.S. Fellowship," "U.S.S. Friendship" and "U.S.S. Piffle." Another satire was a moving picture film of a three-year pursuit of a Filipino colonel, who time and again had escaped capture and hardly had been apprehended when he was made Governor of a province.

The performance, according to advance statements given out by the Carabao Society, was designed to show the "lack of sympathy for recent developments and tendencies in Philippine government."

President Wilson himself was not satirized by the diners, but he made it plain to his associates that he felt keenly the burlesques on members of his Cabinet. Secretary Daniels and Secretary Garrison shared the President's feeling in the matter. Mr. Daniels said today that he left the dinner immediately after making his speech in order to keep another engagement and that the song "Damn, Damn, Damn the Insurrectos" was particularly offensive to him.

Secretary Daniels said that had he known the song was to have been sung he would have asked that it be omitted and had not that been done he would have declined to attend the dinner.

The opinion of the President and members of his Cabinet is that satires cannot be objected to when coming from persons outside of the government, but to permit to go unnoticed the criticisms of officials of the army and navy is likely to be misinterpreted abroad as a severe breach of discipline.

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Mr. Daniels was inclined to take into consideration that the function was intended as one of jollity and good-natured fun, but was amazed that copies of the songs, with descriptions of the travesties, were given out in advance and no effort made to keep the affair a private one.

GARRISON TALKS.

"I have been instructed by the President," said Secretary Garrison, "to ascertain the facts with reference to the incidents at the dinner—to determine whether the facts warrant a court-martial or whether they warrant a reprimand. I shall do nothing until I have obtained all the facts in the case."

Secretary Garrison said that he would seek to find out whether the things that occurred at the dinner were in the nature of a breach of discipline or whether the entire affair was one of "bad taste" without infraction of any particular regulation. He added that he was making a searching inquiry of the whole thing.

WHAT DANIELS MISSED.

Secretary Daniels, who made a speech at the banquet, but left early to attend the Congressional reception, said afterward that none of the "stunts"—such as the bringing in of the "peace fleet," composed of the battleship models, "U.S.S. Friendship, U.S.S. Fellowship and U.S.S. Piffle," had taken place while he was present.

"While I was there," said Mr. Daniels, "the thing I thought was particularly offensive was the song, 'Damn, Damn, Damn, the Insurrectos.' Had I known it was to have been sung I would have asked that it be eliminated from the programme or I would not have attended."

The chorus of the song, which was sung with great zest by hundreds of army and navy officers present, was as follows:

"Damn, damn, damn the insurrectos,
cross-eyed kakiack ladrones.
Underneath the starry flag, civilize 'em with a Krag,
And return us to our own beloved homes."

The word "ladrones" is the Spanish for "robbers" and "Krag" is the army abbreviation for the Krag-Jorgensen rifle.

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"I suppose the officers intended merely to have a jolly time, but they went too far."

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At the Central Police Station all except five of the arrested strikers refused to permit bondsmen to arrange for their release.

The seventy strikers will be tried tomorrow for disturbance of the peace.

Tonight's riot was the most difficult for the police to handle of any since the opening of the strike in August.

Mothers with babies in their arms, numbering about 100, took their places in the front ranks of the crowd which blocked the exits from the factory. Behind them stood several hundred girls, still in their "best" clothes, and behind them stood the men.

The police were powerless to use their clubs. The officers attempted to rush a handful of workers out of the factory exit to a street car. In twenty feet away, but were driven back.

The police abandoned the effort to force a passage through the crowd for the workers who remained in the factory. After reinforcements had arrived the police ordered the crowd to disperse. Those who refused were arrested. The most active of the women followed the prisoners to the police station and the crowd dispersed.

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Mrs. Pultz is the public life of the na...

A STENOGRAPHER'S BLUNDER.

Error in Writing Name of the Court Requires the Re-enactment of a Part of a Case.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A stenographer in Dist.-Atty. Whitman's office wrote "general sessions court" instead of "Supreme Court" in the caption of the true bills found by the grand jury recently against Everett Powles of Kingston and Arthur S. Lefevre, treasurer of the Democratic State Committee, for soliciting contributions, respectively, campaign funds from a corporation.

As a result the entire legal proceedings, beginning with the indictment, pleading guilty today. To the superseded indictments Powles and McLean pleaded not guilty this morning. Powles, the alleged Tammany collector of contributions from State highway contractors, furnished $5000 bail previously; McLean, $2500. Powles pleaded in person; McLean by ...

...EMAL SAVINGS LIMIT.

...Measure to Accept Any Amount, But Confines Interest to One Thousand, Passes Congress.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—A bill to remove the limitation on the amount that may be accepted from depositors by postal savings banks was passed by the House today. The measure permits unlimited deposits to be made, but fixes as the maximum interest which would be paid.

JUST MIX MENTHO-LAXENE

With Granulated Sugar and Water You Will Have a Large Pint Bottle of the Finest Acting Cold and Catarrh Remedy and Cough Syrup You've Ever Tried.

It's Cheaper Than Buying Ready-Made Remedies, Besides It's Pure and Guaranteed Effective Always.

Usually a family spends two to five dollars every winter for cough, cold and catarrh remedies, buying 25c worth at a time.

For instance, a two-ounce bottle, at 25c, will contain about four-fifths "syrup" and one-fifth "medicine." That's paying too much for ordinary syrup; you can make a half gallon of syrup for 25c.

The syrup, extra bottles, labels, corks, cartons, etc., make this method of buying very expensive by the end of the year.

A little thought and wisdom will save any family several dollars and give them purer and better medicine, too.

Make a simple syrup with a pint of granulated sugar and a half pint of boiling water; then buy the pure concentrated essence Mentho-Laxene at your drug store (2½ oz. bottle) and empty it into a pint bottle or jar and then fill it up with the syrup.

Now you have a season's supply of the purest, best and most promptly effective cold and catarrh remedy and cough medicine that it is possible to obtain. It keeps indefinitely, and relieves young and old of colds, catarrh, coughs, bronchitis, hoarseness, shortness of breath and lung and bronchial troubles. This remedy overcomes coughs and removes catarrhal matter from the system, by its tonic-laxative action. It improves the appetite, reduces fever and strengthens the system, thus avoiding chronic ailments and consumption.

Directions with each bottle of Essence Mentho-Laxene tell how to make and how to take. The manufacturers also guarantee to refund money to anyone not pleased by its thorough effectiveness.

Supporter of Kemp.

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of a protest against his appointment by a group of California Democrats.

Preston is a personal friend of Attorney-General McReynolds.

If Preston's appointment is confirmed by the Senate, he will succeed to the office left by John L. McNab who resigned as the result of a clash with Attorney-General McReynolds over the Diggs-Caminetti and Western Fuel cases. Since McNab's resignation, Benjamin L. McKinley, has been acting as United States Attorney. McKinley, a nephew of former President McKinley, has been acting as United States Attorney.

Thomas E. Hayden, formerly a school director of San Francisco, was selected first by President Wilson for the vacancy, but because of the protests of California Democrats against his nomination consideration of his name was abandoned.

DOCTORS VS. EUGENICS.

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Members of the Milwaukee County Medical Society will refuse to make the examinations and issue the certificates required by the so-called eugenics marriage law, passed by the last Legislature, which will become effective January 1 next.

SAFE and SANE Sound Security for SAVINGS!

7% and better

First Lien Bonds Issued by California Cities Under a State Act

Free From (Income State County and City) Taxes

In Amounts from $25.00 to $100,000

You can see your Security.
Interest Payable at City Treasurer's.
Send for booklet.

ELLIOTT & HORNE CO.,
325 West Third St.

GOT A COUGH?

Apply me freely to the throat and chest and be speedily relieved. says The Little Doctor.

Also use me for Constipation, Headache, Lumbago, Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Pleurisy, Neuralgia.

I Never Blister

25c and 50c at druggists. Postpaid, The MacLaren Drug Co., Los Angeles, Cal.—Cleveland.

Anniversary Furniture Sale

Everything reduced to make room for new shipment.

Foley Furniture Co.

Wholesale and Retail.
937-943 So. Los Angeles St., near Tenth.

NEW HOME

"1913 ROTARY"
Sewing Machine.
R. B. MOOREHEAD, Gen. Mgr.
428 South Broadway.
Phone F2331. Main 8690

Smith Music Co.

406 West Seventh St.
Sole representatives of the EVERETT PIANO

Excellent Service

To Eastern Points
Via Salt Lake Route
Tickets at 601 So. Spring St.

MIHRAN & CO.

812 South Broadway 812
ORIENTAL RUGS

Men's Famous Wear

Sold here exclusively
Benjamin Clothes
JAMES SMITH & CO.
548-550 Broadway.

ORIENTAL GOODS FOR XMAS

SING FAT CO.,
615 South Broadway.
Store Open Evenings

I. MAGNIN & CO.

Branch Store, Pasadena, Cal.
Hotel Maryland.
Daily arrivals of the latest and most exclusive ladies wearing apparel.

"VICTOR VAPOR" GAS HEATER
For Natural or Artificial Gas. More Heat for less Money.
At Best Dealers

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Just In! Special Purchase of Dresses!

Prices Well Nigh Unbelievable!

Store Open Until 6 P.M. Every Evening This Week

Hale's
341-343-345 S. BROADWAY
IN THE HEART OF THE SHOPPING DISTRICT

Guaranteed Ironthread Stockings 25c Pair

The surplus stock of one of the leading Eastern makers of women's dresses was purchased at a mere fraction of its real worth. There are dresses of velvet, satin, charmeuse, silk, serge, crepe and wool sponge. Just 220 in the lot and they represent the very newest and most up-to-date of the season's styles. Beautiful trimmings of shadow lace, rich embroidereys, plush, fur, braids and buttons. Sizes from 16 for misses to 42 bust measure for women.

29 Dresses Values to $12.50..... **$5.95**

77 Dresses Values to $22.50..... **$10.95**

71 Dresses Values to $17.50..... **$8.95**

43 Dresses Values to $27.50..... **$14.95**

$10.00 Sale of Coats and Suits Continues

Women's suits in clever new styles for winter —$15.00 to $25.00 values. Swagger effects in coats and skirts in draped and peg-top models —some slashed at the foot. All popular cloths, including chaviots, diagonals, bouclés, corduroys and novelties. Sizes 16 years to 40 bust measure.

$10

Smart up-to-date coats that are the equal of the coats that are being shown about town at $20. Chinchillas, bouclés, Bedford cords, matelasses, plain coatings and stripes—all colors. Many with the new Tokio sleeve effects that are so fashionable. Plain styles and novelty styles. $10.00 each.

Hale's Good Goods Hale's Good Goods Hale's Good Goods Hale's Good Goods Hale's Good Goods Hale's Good Goods

Why should I buy at Culver City?

Because—a city of 10,000 people is a possibility at this strategic inter-urban junction point in three years.

Because—Culver City will be the first point to benefit by the coming subway.

Because—"ground floor purchasers" in every Southern California city have made tremendous profits.

Because—this is not a boom city—but a necessary, logical business center directly in the beaten path of Los Angeles' unswerving growth toward Venice.

Because—Culver City is backed by a progressive, strongly-financed group of Southern Californians.

Because—it is the center of greatest activity in the rapidly developing Los Angeles-to-Venice district.

Because—Culver City is an ideal living place—served by three fast car lines—"just near enough" to Los Angeles or the ocean.

If you live in districts served by the slow-moving, "ever-stopping" yellow cars—you can save one hour a day in transportation by residing at Culver City—thousands of people will eventually do this.

If you had invested in Pasadena, Long Beach, Venice or Glendale ten years ago —your profit today would be 1000 per cent or upwards.

Watch history repeat itself at Culver City.

FREE EXCURSIONS DAILY

HARRY H. CULVER CO.

VENICE ← ACREAGE → LOS ANGELES

Second Floor Hollingsworth Building,
Home 60632 SIXTH & HILL Main 8045
Or Take Venice Short Line for Culver City and Call at Branch Office

Classified Liners.

Times Classified Rates: The rate for inserting Want ads. in The Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; minimum charge, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge 50c daily, 25c Sunday: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices, Miscellaneous," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to Loan, Salary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medical," "Detectives," "Sanatoriums" and "Baths and Massage."

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads. received after closing hours for each division will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 80,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200, Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephone advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times in payment for "liners," as no mistakes can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership heretofore doing business under the name of POMETTI MONTELEONE FRUIT CO., at Sixth and Alameda sts., has been dissolved and the undersigned will not be responsible for bills contracted for or on behalf of said firm after this date.
Signed, F. POMETTI, December 12, 1913.

NATIONAL CIRCULATION — THE MIDWINTER Number of The Times better than ever, out January 1, 1914, presents splendid opportunities to discerning classified advertisers. Many future residents depend on the accurate information it contains and invest in the many choice properties offered in its classified advertising columns. Five cents a word. Rates for display advertising furnished on application.

WE OFFER AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY for a high-class dressmaker and modiste to open a downtown establishment; we have a large, light room for lease, which offers the advantages of being connected with one of the largest high-class ladies' tailoring establishments in the city; make application now to A. GREENE & SON, 321 West Seventh.

WE HAVE SEVERAL REMINGTON AND SMITH Premier typewriters, invisible writing models, for which we have no use, having replaced them with late model machines. Will sell these for $15 each. Are in good condition. See LYLE, Times Office, First and Broadway.

NOTICE—ALL PERSONS HOLDING CLAIMS against the furniture in rooming-house at 739 S. Hope must present bills within 5 days from date. (Signed) HENRY HAGEMANN, 1112 E. 7th st., Dec. 12, 1913.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS— for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify," if not received before 8 p.m. Saturdays.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE HIGH PRICE OF eggs; use "Egg-Save," for cooking. Send 4c stamps for sample and recipe: EGG-SAVE DISTRIBUTORS, 2176 W. 27th st., Los Angeles.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED IN ONE TO TWO LOADS BY the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO., phones 59146, or Wilshire 593.

LEAKY ROOFS REPAIRED and guaranteed by BURKHART, the Roofer. Phone 41268.

RAG RUG AND CARPET WEAVING. E. SCHLEIFE. Phone South 5548. 7176 Compton ave.

WILL COLLECT BAD DEBTS. SEE RICHMOND, 526 WASHINGTON BLDG. Broadway 766. F7724.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

PULVERIZED SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS and flowers. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 North Mott. Boyle 1605; 41536.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—LOST.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, JEWEL CASE CONTAINING NECK CHAIN AND PENDANT, JADE NECKLACE, PAIR ANTIQUE GOLD EAR RINGS, THREE LADIES' RINGS.
A VERY LIBERAL REWARD WILL BE PAID FOR THEIR RETURN AND NO QUESTIONS ASKED. ADDRESS P. O. BOX 884 OR TELEPHONE FAIR OAKS 831, PASADENA, CAL.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLoger and palmist, 30 years in Los Angeles; largest and most successful practice of any reader; highest grade of work. He read Sothern, Frederick Warde, Julia Marlowe, Modjeska, Gadski, Calve, Schumann-Heink, ex-Gov. Pardee, Edison, Sousa and many others. Dr. Larsen writes: "I consider your work the most reliable of any reader in the United States." High-class patronage solicited. 539½ S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—
HENLEY,
THE SUCCESSFUL PSYCHICK.
Before you go into anything of importance or undertake anything serious, or before you make any change, you should consult the master mind of physics.
317 W. THIRD, near Hill.

PERSONAL—
MRS. MASSON,
The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day.
HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—AN ACTIVE CAMPAIGN FOR LOCAL and out-of-town business can be made at a small cost through the classified columns of the splendid Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

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PERSONAL—WANTED INFORMATION AS TO THE whereabouts of E. C. Riley, who disappeared about April 1 last from 606 E. Fifth st. Suitable reward will be paid to any one locating him. Confer with I. L. ELDREDGE, 606 E. Fifth st.

PERSONAL—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS of The Times are requested to submit copy for advertisements in the Sunday issue as early as possible.

PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichesters Pills, the Diamond Brand. For 25 years known as best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic, readings 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—EDWORD K. EARLE HAS MOVED TO 1820 S. Flower st. Meetings Thursdays and Sundays, 8 p.m. Take University car. PHONE 28761.

PERSONAL—TOMACH'S WIGS AND TOUPEES ARE best. Get them at GERMAIN BLDG., 224 So. Spring st. Barber shop in connection.

PERSONAL—MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIAtion, law and collections, advice free; reports made weekly. MAIN 9532. 1028-29 Black Bldg.

PERSONAL — GET UP A PARTY AND GO OUT New Year's eve in our luxurious 36-passenger sightseeing car. Can go any place. Nominal expense. PHONE 60627.

PERSONAL—ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER FOR rent, $1 a day. Free delivery. HOME 25191.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. Best 50c reading in city. 508½ S. SPRING.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—

I am looking for a first-class, energetic business man, who is capable to the fullest extent of managing a wholesale business in this city. Party must be able to furnish A1 references and be capable of putting business on a well paying basis. I want a man who can prove to me that he has made an absolute success of his life and can qualify to the position of a business doctor in the fullest sense of the word. The right man can make himself invaluable and command a high salary. I have no time to read applications of no worth, so do not answer unless you know you can fill the bill. I want action, not empty words. Write in strict confidence. Address V, box 571, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LIVE REAL ESTATE SALESMAN AND representative with auto for one of the best-known building and real estate companies in the city; this is the best chance for the right man in Los Angeles to make money. Call at 2 p.m., today, prepared to go to work. EDWARD E. SWEET DESIGNING AND BUILDING CO., 461 Black Bldg., Fourth and Hill.

WANTED—A MAN, WHO WHEN HE IS GIVEN AN opportunity, has that qualification in his make-up that he will be able to make good. This is one of the best opportunities that is offered on the market for a hustling man. He should make several hundred dollars a month. 445 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, SINGLE, FOR EMERGency runs at night; also Sundays and holidays day time. Would not interfere with your work week days. Room and fair compensation. Must know city thoroughly. Address V, box 572, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN WITH TEAMS TO LEVEL FRUIT land for alfalfa. Permanent employment and fine opportunity for good man. Address H. W. REEK, 611 S. Marengo ave., Pasadena. Phone Colorado 626.

WANTED—AN A1 CHINESE COOK; PRIVATE FAMily; $50. PHONE A1002.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED—

CREW MANAGER.
Want competent salesmen and closing ability. As soon as merit is proven will advance rapidly. Big commissions. Subdivision best advertised in Los Angeles. Selling rapidly. Apply at 901 STORY BLDG., Tuesday night at 5 o'clock.

WANTED—LIVE HIGH-GRADE SALESMEN FOR Palisades Park, "The Glorious," 290 feet above and but two blocks from the ocean. 200 feet of beautiful Santa Monica Canyon, one-quarter mile from mountains; most magnificent view in Southern California. Selling better than any subdivision in Los Angeles. You will sell it if you see it. Salesmen are making more than good. Special proposition to automobile owners.
See L. S. Ainsworth,
ROY C. HOWELLS CO.,
516 S. Hill st.

WANTED—MEN, BETWEEN 21 AND 35 YEARS OF age, to take examination for automobile fire engine drivers for the Alhambra fire department. Examination Thursday, December 18, 1913, at 7 p.m., at City Hall, Alhambra. Applications must be filed with City Clerk and examinations as to physical fitness by Dr. F. E. Corey, City Health Officer, before 5 p.m. on above date. Salary $75 per month, with prospect of civil service and graduated scale. 24 hours off a week. Further information, FIRE DEPT. HEADQUARTERS, N. Stoneman ave., Alhambra.

WANTED—
FIRST-CLASS REAL ESTATE SALESMEN.
We are on the eve of great, new and extensive developments in EL SEGUNDO, and invite first-class real estate salesmen to come in to see us. We can make them an excellent proposition on something that is alive and with real growth, backing, and possibilities second to none in the State. Apply THE EL SEGUNDO LAND AND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, 609 S. Hill st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—AMBITIOUS WORKMEN TODAY, ONLY few months required learn trade of automobile, electricity, plumbing, brick laying, on actual contract jobs; not school toys. Some students earn $2 per day. 700 students. $20,000 contract jobs. Six years' experience. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 234 Aliso st., 2 blocks east and 1 block north of postoffice. See ad., "Learn Trades" column.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND UNDERWOOD biller, $75; young stenographer, $50; high-class hardware salesman, $200, expenses; stock bookkeeper, $50; bank book-keeper, $65; three grocery clerks, $55; corporation book-keeper, $75; gentleman's furnishings salesman; railroad additional betterment disbursement clerk, $85; man and wife for ranch, California, fruit experience, $60, found. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASS'N., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—
Five high-class salesmen of ability and good address to travel and sell real estate in the rapidly-developing townsite of EL SEGUNDO, the city with the big Standard Oil pay roll; liberal commission and every selling support, no advances. Call or write J. D. PHILLIPS, district manager, El Segundo Land & Improvement Company, 609 S. Hill st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—I WANT TO GET IN TOUCH WITH FIVE young men who are live wires and would like to get in the real estate business for themselves; something that has a future and no get-rich-quick. If you want to better your condition, let me hear from you. All replies confidential. Address W, box 315, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD paying trade; automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. We teach what others have failed because of better facilities. Nothing worth while can be learned for nothing. See our ad. under "Help Wanted—Learn Trades." NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh st.

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY, ABLE-BODIED, UNmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to RECRUITING OFFICER, Canadian Bldg., 432 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—I CAN USE TWO MORE SALESMEN OR solicitors on the livest selling proposition on the market; salesmen with cars preferred. Exceptional opportunity to make several hundred per month. Come and see me. Take Venice Short Line. H. G. WEST, Mgr. Branch Office, Culver City, Cal.

WANTED—ACTIVE YOUNG MAN ABOUT 18, LIVing with parents, experienced in taking orders over the telephone and handling mail orders. Must write legible hand. Steady position. Salary $10 per week to start. State age, experience and references. Address W, box 402, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
Employment Agents.
Established 1891.
Largest and Best Improved Office on the Pacific Coast.
Phones: Main 580. Home 10769.
116-118 E. Second st.

WANTED—
A first-class real estate salesman. Must be good live man. We are about to enter into developments which mean big money. Apply at the EL SEGUNDO LAND IMPROVEMENT CO., 609 S. Hill st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—
CANVASSERS.
House-to-house, to sell and advertise pure food products. Commission. ROOM 30, 232 S. Main.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN UNDER 35 TO FIT FOR GOVERNMENT RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS. Good starting salary, $900; promotion; permanency. See instruction adv. For successful coaching, see MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS HARDWARE MAN, BEtween 30 and 40, for road position paying $200 and expenses. We want a live one. Contract to right man. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASS'N., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

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WANTED—RAILROAD ADDITIONAL BETTERMENT disbursement clerk, under 32, for good position with large corporation; salary $85; advancement. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASS'N., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—SINGLE MAN, 40 OR 50 YEARS OF age, for poultry ranch; one who wishes to learn the business and will take an interest in the work. GEO. ENGLAND'S EGG RANCH, Inglewood Poultry Colony, Inglewood, Cal.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, CAPABLE OF RUNning Underwood biller. Must be young man and executive. Salary $65-$75; advancement. MR. d'AULE, MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASS'N., Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—SHOE WORKERS. OPERATORS ON Goodyear welter stitcher and rounder; steady work; good wages. BUCKINGHAM & HECHT, San Francisco.

WANTED—IF YOU KNEW WHAT OTHERS ARE making with our attractive salesman's proposition on Culver City you would lose no time in getting in. Experience not necessary. See MR. MARSHALL, 202 Hollingsworth Bldg.

WANTED—TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAURANT EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. Second st. Cook, all-round work, good wages; cooks, dinner, fry, etc.; waiters, porters, bus boys, kitchen men, housemen, pot, glass, dishwashers. Call TUCKER'S.

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN WITH AUTO TO take two salesmen out on a quick-selling specialty proposition, big money maker. Call at 9 a.m. at 733 W. SEVENTH ST., ask for Mr. Lowery.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DRY GOODS MANAGER and buyer for dry goods department of large store in Arizona; salary $150. Apply in person only. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 301 Fay Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMAN WHO HAS HAD RETAIL or wholesale notion experience. None others need apply. Salary $65 to start. OFFICE EXPERTS AND BONDING CO., 229 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED—TEN MEN TO TAKE ORDERS FOR Christmas trees, good money. Meet me NINTH and TOWNE AVE., between 9 and 10 a.m., or phone East 3339 after 6 p.m.

WANTED—I WANT 5 LIVE SALESMEN, UNUSUAL opportunity for advancement and lucrative position. Apply in person only. CONTINENTAL WATER PURIFYING CORP., 1215 W. Pico.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MENS' FURNISHing goods salesman; none but experienced need apply; steady position and good salary. 501 BEACON ST., San Pedro, Cal.

WANTED — CHEF'S HELPER, CLUB, $30, FD.; waiter, club, $40; houseman, $35, meals; cook, $55, fd.; kitchen helper, institution, $30, fd. Call SMITH'S AGENCY, 505½ S. Main.

WANTED—GROCERY DELIVERYMAN WHO CAN play slide trombone, snare drum or alto. Write or phone CARL LOYD, Secretary Porterville Band, Porterville, Cal.

WANTED — HUSTLING SOLICITOR FOR CONtest. $200 cash prize, also good commission. Particulars free. K. E. TENNY, 1654 Ellis St., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS BUSHELMAN, STEADY job, good wages for good, experienced man. 108 E. THIRD ST. Apply after 6 p.m.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS BUTCHER AND GROcery clerk, light work. Apply 7 a.m., 1028-9 BLACK BLDG. References required.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL, ONE WELL ACquainted with city streets. Apply WESTERN LITHOGRAPH CO., 600 East Second.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILOR, THORoughly experienced. W. E. NEFF, 336½ S. Broadway.

WANTED — APPRENTICE TO WORK ON CASES and learn trade. Apply WESTERN LITHOGRAPH CO., 600 East Second.

WANTED—JANITOR WITH ELECTRIC LICENSE, $50. SECURITY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 452½ So. Broadway.

WANTED—MAN TO SELL LOW-PRICED LOTS, EXperience unnecessary; fine proposition for a worker. See MR. BANKS, 330 S. Hill st.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS MINING BLACKSMITH and Burley drill dresser. Apply 931 TITLE INS. Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESMAN TO CALL on retail and jobbing trade, commission basis. Room 616, Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN ATTENDING SCHOOL TO work for board and room. 437 E. 7TH ST.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN, LICENSED TO OPERate an electric elevator, must be neat in appearance and obliging in manner. Apply with references, W. S. JANTZEN, 604 Story Bldg.

WANTED—CARPENTER, ALSO PLUMBER, WHO will take part of pay in dental work. Phone WEST 2919.

WANTED—SECOND COOK FOR CAFETERIA, ALSO dishwasher. Apply Manager, 453 S. HOPE ST.

WANTED—GOOD ALL-AROUND AUTO MACHINIST. Call early. 433 S. FLOWER ST.

WANTED—WASHER WITH ENGINEER'S LICENSE. CENTRAL LAUNDRY, 1838 E. Vernon ave.

WANTED—ERRAND BOY WITH WHEEL. 407 E. 4th st. PHOENIX LIGHTING AND FIXTURE CO.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED CAFE manager for cafe in connection with first-class hotel. Will lease going business to right party with small capital, or will operate on shares. Give full particulars of past experience, amount of capital, references, etc. Address D, box 132, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ACTIVE, YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED man to work in and help manage old-established business who can invest $250 with his services; will pay $130 monthly. Pleasant work; no previous experience necessary. Call 524 SOUTH SPRING ST. Room 302.

WANTED—I HAVE A FIRST-CLASS STEADY EMployment of responsibility and trust, bringing big earnings to a good man who can furnish from $300 to $500 cash security. Call JOHN S. NOEL CO., 440 Wilcox Bldg.

WANTED—MANUFACTURER, BEST REFERENCES, wants partner that can invest $300 and his services in safe, bankable business, experience not necessary. ROOM 378, Wilcox Bldg., Second and Spring.

WANTED—DRAMATIC MAN, HEIGHT ABOUT SIX feet, for a recognized vaudeville playlet going East. Salary $40 up per week. Must invest $500. Address V, box 568, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY MAN WHO CAN INvest $250 in profitable business; will pay $22 weekly; light work, easy to learn. Particulars, call 702 S. SPRING, room 226.

WANTED—MAN OF MEANS, ABILITY AND REFerences to take full charge of our mortgage department. Address BC, box 373, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — LEARN TO SILVER MIRRORS, BIG money; full complete information mailed for $3. HALL FURNITURE CO., Glendale, Cal.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED — COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER AT once. Remington machine. Permanent position; salary $60 month; only thoroughly experienced need apply. DIAMOND FERTILIZER CO., 628 Aliso st.

WANTED—SECOND GIRL, GERMAN PREFERRED, Pasadena, $35; upstairs girl, city, $35; cook and downstairs, $35; general housegirl, Pasadena, $35; another, Sierra Madre, $30; another, Scientist preferred, La Habra, $30; another, city, $35; many others at $20 to $40. HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 313 W. Third, between Broadway and Hill.

WANTED—LADIES' ORCHESTRA.
Orchestra, composed of violinist, pianist and 'cellist, by out-of-town hotel.
Give full description of experience and personnel; also state terms. Address
PASO ROBLES HOT SPRINGS,
Paso Robles, Cal.

WANTED—TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAURANT EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. Second st. Cooks, waitresses, all kinds, city, country; serving girls, meat carvers, pantry girls, linen room girls, chambermaids, kitchen women, 10 chocolate dippers, $10 to $12. Call TUCKER'S.

WANTED — YOUNG WOMEN TO PREPARE FOR position as stenographers, special instruction for beginners or advanced students. Gregg, Pitman, Wagner. STENOGRAPHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL. Severance Bldg., Sixth and Main. See instruction course adv.

WANTED—
CANVASSERS.
House-to-house, to sell and advertise pure food products. Commission. ROOM 30, 232 S. Main.

WANTED—MAID FOR HOUSEWORK, GOOD PLAIN cook, 3 in family, $30; second maid, 3 in family, $30; first-class cook, 4 in family, $45; housemaid, and plain cook, 3 in family, Sierra Madre, $30; cook for small family, $25; many others. Call early, BAXTER AGENCY, 430 S. Broadway, B.866.

WANTED—SALESWOMEN FOR THE FOLLOWING departments: Jewelry, art needlework, stationery, ribbons, handkerchiefs and infant's wear. Only persons thoroughly experienced in one of these special lines need to apply to SUPT. before 10:30. VILLE DE PARIS.

WANTED — CHAMBERMAIDS, $30-$35; SERVERS, $7; girls to assist, $15-$25; girl in bakery, $8; cooks, $30-$40; girls, general housework, $20-$40. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 707½ South Broadway, Room 77.

WANTED—TWO LIVE MEN TO WORK ON BEST close-in acreage property on the market. Splendid opening with old-established firm. See MR. CHASE, with THE JAMES R. H. WAGNER COMPANY, second floor, 631 S. Spring st.

WANTED—WOMAN MANAGER FOR 50-ROOM modern rate hotel, 15 minute walk west side, commission basis, only woman with ability to fill house with good tenants need apply. Address V, box 564, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—INTELLIGENT WOMAN FOR EDUCAtional work, good salary to capable person. Give phone number and address in reply. Address V, box 573, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN TO DO PART DAY'S work and cook dinner for two people. Must be clean. Address V, box 566, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD COOK, WHO IS GOOD CLEANER, good natured and obliging. Call in forenoon. MRS. F. OGILBY-WOOD, 511 S. Granada ave., Alhambra. Phone 811.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER UNDERSTANDING dictation for 3 hours a day, extra work for month or more. Apprentices will answer. MGR., 622 W. 7TH ST.

WANTED — SOLICITORS, NEAT-APPEARING, high-grade salesladies to interview prospective purchasers and make appointments to visit fastest-selling subdivision. MR. MARSHALL, 202 Hollingsworth Bldg.

WANTED — LADY OR GENTLEMAN WITH AUTO to take two salesmen out on a quick-selling specialty proposition; big money maker. Call at 9 a.m. at 733 W. SEVENTH ST., ask for Mr. Lowery.

WANTED—LADY TO SELL REAL ESTATE WITH reliable firm handling best subdivision between Los Angeles and Venice. Call in forenoon at 211 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. Ask for Mr. Reed.

WANTED—SIX LADIES, BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS big; learn right. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile Place, near Broadway, FLORENTINE. See Instruction Course.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework; plain cooking; family of 6; in country town; permanent position to right party; wages $30 per month. BOYLE 2756.

WANTED—NURSE GIRL, $30; CHAMBERMAID, $30; girl to assist, $15 and $20; second girl, $25. SECURITY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 452½ South Broadway.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES. UNderstanding china, cut glass and silverware. Apply with references, W. F. JANTZEN, 604 Story Bldg.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, good place. Call between 9-10:30 a.m. or 1:30-4 p.m., at 800½ E. SEVENTH ST., room 72.

WANTED—SMART YOUNG LADY FOR DOCTOR'S office; must be good typewriter. Call 10 to 12, second floor, LUCKENBACH BLDG., 317 S. Hill.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR GENERAL OFFICE work, country department store. Address C, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES FOR granite and kitchen utensils departments. Apply with references, W. F. JANTZEN, 604 Story Bldg.

WANTED—HEAD WAITRESS, CAFE; SERVER, $7; dinner waitress, arm waitress, $8; salad maker. Call SMITH'S AGENCY, 505½ S. Main.

WANTED—SERVING GIRLS AND EMPLOYEES FOR kitchen and dining-room, at new cafeteria. Apply Manager, 453 S. HOPE ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TELEPHONE OPERator. Apply D. H. HART, between 10 and 11 today, Rosslyn Hotel. 443 S. Main.

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN TO CARE FOR 2 children, ages 3 and 6 years. Room and board and some wages. Call at 713 W. THIRD ST.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK, NO laundry, wages $30 per month. Call 1831 WEST WASHINGTON, opposite Bonita street.

WANTED—SALESLADY FOR LADIES' WEARING apparel. Apply Tuesday morning, 9 a.m., at 408 W. SEVENTH ST.

WANTED—WOMAN FOR HOUSEWORK; MUST BE good cook, small family, German preferred. Phone 54363.

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN, UNDER 40, FOR general housework; no laundry work; wages $25. Call 59165. MRS. BORDEN, Hollywood.

WANTED—NEAT SPANISH GIRL, EXPERIENCED in making leather novelties. Apply at 2227 W. NINTH ST.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK; NO washing. 4075 NORMANDIE AVE. University-Dalton ave. car.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COOK, 4 IN FAMILY, other help kept. $45. 430 S. Broadway, room 506.

WANTED—SECOND MAID, 3 IN FAMILY, $30. 430 S. BROADWAY, room 506.

WANTED—2 GIRLS, HAIR WORK TAUGHT FREE. Wages paid while learning. 619½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED — HELPER ON LADIES' AND GENT'S coats; must be first-class. 1528 GEORGIA ST.

WANTED—CHOCOLATE DIPPER AND STORE GIRL. 107 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CANDY GIRLS. APPLY CRYSTAL CONFECTIONERY, 561 S. Main st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED FANCY IRONER ON piece work. F. A. ALLEN, 3827 Wall st.

WANTED—RULING MACHINE FEEDER. UNION LITHOGRAPH CO., 2030 East Seventh.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEMAID, $35. 421 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, SALESMAN AND STEnographer ready to go to Argentina. All expenses paid. 624 CONSOLIDATED REALTY BLDG.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1895. The best practical mechanical school in Southern California. We teach driving, repairing and overhauling of all makes of automobiles. All work done under supervision of expert instructors. Courses in electricity and surveying, both theoretical and practical. Positions furnished to graduates. Places to work for room and board after school hours. Get free catalogue.

WANTED—MEN, IF YOU HAVE A GOOD TRADE you can earn $5 a day. No expense and only few months required to learn automobiles, electricity, plumbing, brick laying. Call and see our men working. Free catalogue. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 234 Aliso st., 2 blocks east and 1 block north of postoffice.

WANTED—LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing. Students wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIR DRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place, MRS. HARRIS.

WANTED—BEFORE ENTERING SO-CALLED BARber colleges, see the MOLER BARBER SCHOOL CO. Always reliable. 429 E. 5th st.

WANTED—$15. LEARN TO DRIVE AN AUTOmobile. I guarantee to teach you to drive and care for car for $15. Call before 8:30, between 12 and 1, or after 5. J. SHEELEN, 989 E. 10th., rear.

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE, WAGES WHILE learning; old-time barber instructor; position secured for graduates. NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 236 S. Main.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED — MEN, WOMEN, GET GOVERNMENT jobs, $90 month. 12,000 appointments coming. Write for list of positions. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 12H, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED — RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT in 20 lessons. Write for free book. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176; F3793.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, POSTOFFICE CLERKS and CARRIERS. See MR. HOFF, 628-30 Security Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHIC STUDENTS. PAY TUItion after graduated. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth. F3193; Main 4798.

WANTED — STUDENTS FOR SPECIAL STENOgraphic instruction; dictation class privileges, $5 monthly. STENOGRAPHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL.

WANTED—PEOPLE TO BE CORRECTLY TAUGHT motion picture acting and writing. DIRECTOR, 636 E. 25TH ST. Phone 22247.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG. LEARN right, "FLORENTINE," 227 Mercantile Place, near Broadway. Phones.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—TRAVELING SALESMAN TO REPREsent us on the Coast; side-line proposition, no samples; good commission; earnings unlimited if hustler; good opportunity. Answer, giving references, what line you carry, how long employed, married or single. Address C, box 215, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LIFE INSURANCE SOLICITOR. MUST be able to give good references. Salary and commission. Good teacher. OFFICE EXPERTS AND BONDING CO., 229 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED — LADY AGENTS, SOMETHING NEW, sells on sight, good repeater. Can make good salary and work short hours. 405 GERMAIN BLDG. Call from 9 to 12, 2 to 4.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CALENDAR SALESMEN, selling to business men only; extra good proposition for live men; exclusive territory. 130 W. COLORADO ST., Pasadena, Cal.

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WANTED—HIGH-CLASS REAL ESTATE SALESwoman for fine new subdivision. Best proposition to right party. Ask for MR. GILBERT, 645 S. Spring st.

WANTED—GOOD SALARY FOR HOUSE-TO-HOUSE canvasser for laundry, must be A1, no time for trifles. 905 CENTRAL AVE. Main 5151.

WANTED — NEAT-APPEARING SOLICITORS AT once; exceptional opportunity for hustlers; money paid every evening. 623 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—SOLICITOR AS PARTNER WITH $150 cash. Don't waste time if you have not the money. ROOM 1 at 175 N. SPRING ST., morning.

WANTED—10 WELL-DRESSED MEN WHO ARE salesmen, with local acquaintance, nothing to buy. See TRACY, second floor, 609 S. Hill st.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS SUBDIVISION SALESMAN capable of making $500 to $2000 per month preferred. Ask for MR. GILBERT, 645 S. Spring st.

WANTED—THREE MEN, GOOD SOLICITORS, FOR cleaning and dyeing business. Apply 5909 MONETA AVE.

WANTED—SALESMAN TO HANDLE A GOOD PAYing side line in Arizona. Liberal commission. Address D, box 179, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY LARGE LAND COMPANY, SEVERAL first-class salesmen to sell acreage. Call with references at 120 W. FOURTH ST.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS SOLICITOR FOR THE UNION DYE WORKS. Apply 2307½ So. Union ave.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED LADY SOLICITOR. APply at COLONIAL LAUNDRY, 1125 Santa Fe ave.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—SITUATION AS WAITER IN PRIVATE family by Japanese, has many years' experience and willing to help any kind of work around house. EDDIE, Broadway 3933. Home 52700. 920 W. 10th st.

WANTED—POSITION AS MANAGER OR SUPERINtendent of ranch. California experience deciduous, citrus fruit, alfalfa, expert fruit drier. A-1 references. Address W. box 480, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY FRENCH CHAUFFEUR, 5 years' experience, careful driver. Best city references. No objection to doing other work. Address B, box 26, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED BRIGHT young Japanese as valet or butler or second work in private family. Good habits. Please write. F. YUTAKA, 121 S. San Pedro st.

WANTED—YOUNG IRISHMAN WISHES POSITION, houseman, hotel or private; willing and handy; first-class references. Address D, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-KEEPER, MANAger or general office man for large corporation or firm. Capable of taking full charge. Address D, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MINE AND MILL SUPERINTENDENT, construction and operation, 20 years' practical experience, open for position with reliable company. Address D, box 127, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF GOOD EDUCATION wants to learn jewelry trade. Would like temporary work during the holidays. Address V, box 575, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE CHAUFFEUR in private family, 5 years' experience, careful driver; repairing. F. IKUTA, 922 Hill st. Home A2545.

WANTED — SITUATION AS BOOK-KEEPER OR clerical position by young man, 10 years experience; excellent references; reasonable salary. PHONE 26453.

WANTED—BY STEADY, SOBER, MARRIED MAN, situation as chauffeur; careful driver; have driven in this city three years. Address V, box 470, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE AN A-1 BOOK-KEEPER? Rapid on the typewriter. Hard worker; city references. Moderate salary. Address W, box 534, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY RELIABLE MAN AS clerk in grocery store or work about garage, anything reasonable considered. H. E. MILLER, 228 W. 11th st., or Phone Broadway 5918.

WANTED—SITUATION BY BOY, 16, IN OFFICE; knowledge of stenography and typewriting and book-keeping; chance for advancement. Address C, box 118, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN, ABLE AND WILLING, WISHES work on small ranch; moderate wages expected. Address V, box 554, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPER HANGING AND tinting, all work satisfactory and reasonable. PHONE SOUTH 4858.

WANTED—A PHILIPINO WANTS A POSITION AS house man or janitor in apartment or hotel, experienced. Address C, box 117, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GARDEN WORK, MAKING LAWNS, pruning trees and roses. Address "Gardener," box 163, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A CHINESE SCHOOLboy, to work with a private family. TONG OUNG, 965 So. Hill st. F3900.

WANTED — ENGLISHMAN SEEKS EMPLOYMENT, any capacity; reliable worker; abstainer; in or out of city. Address D, box 184, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION, AMERIcan, 28, single. No objection to other work. References. BROADWAY 2541. 25792.

WANTED—POSITION; YOUNG, BRIGHT JAPANESE boy wants position as stable boy, gardener or housework. 1660 CORDOVA ST., city.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS BUTLER, WILL SERVE lunch and dinner parties; permanent position if convenient. MILLER, F5507.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WANTS POSITION; EXperienced book-keeper and clerk; good references. FRED McALLISTER, 2301 Union ave.

WANTED—PAINTER, GOOD INSIDE AND OUTSIDE man wants work, town or country; $2.50 per day. Address P, box 165, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, GOOD MECHANIC, wishes position in private family, city or country. M. BARTH, 561 Gladys ave.

WANTED—SITUATION, CHAUFFEUR, WHITE, REFerence. Phone WEST 553.

WANTED—INTELLIGENT YOUNG MAN WANTS work outside school hours for room and board. PHONE 53401.

WANTED—TRADESMEN'S BOOKS, POSTED AND kept, by experienced accountant at moderate charges. PHONE 59565.

WANTED—JAPANESE, EXPERIENCED COOK wishes situation, reliable and competent; references. 413 W. SEVENTH ST., 64233; Main 8048.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE CHAUFFEUR, age 26; experience, careful driver. MARRY IKUTA, 922 Hill st.

WANTED—A POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR, EIGHT years' experience, careful driver. Address 1451 S. BONNIE BRAE. Phone 21809.

WANTED—A JOB AS COOK IN FAMILY. WING DUCK, P.O. Box 1179, city.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—JANUARY 1ST, RESPONSIBLE POSItion, by expert accountant. Willing to leave city. Experience covers real estate, railroad construction, mining, lumbering, public service. References. Moderate investment or cash bond considered. Address V, box 343, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — MANAGEMENT OF FIRST-CLASS apartment-house, thoroughly experienced and capable, affable and courteous, expert book-keeper; wife is an experienced housekeeper. Address C. M. BINFORD, care of King George Hotel, Ocean Park, Cal.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR, MARRIED man 29, steady, honest, doesn't drink, chew or smoke; first-class mechanic, good careful driver, thoroughly experienced; references; willing to work. Address I. D. HOOVER, 1373 W. 37th st. Phone Vermont 2492.

WANTED—POSITION BY BRIGHT, ENERGETIC young man 22 years old. Am able to do any kind of clerical work. Viz: book-keeping, cashier work, credits, typewriting and have a knowledge of stenography. Excellent references. Address A.R., box 454, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN OF STERLING character wishes to associate himself with a firm or corporation in a clerical capacity. All propositions considered, but one with the best future will be considered. Address D, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, 7 YEARS' EXPERIENCE, first-class mechanician, careful driver, do own repairing, overhauling, no bad habits, willing to do other work; references. Address D, box 181, TIMES OFFICE.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED—JAPANESE CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. All kinds of Japanese help promptly furnished. House and window cleaning department. Phones MAIN 2024; 62925. 124½ E. THIRD ST.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC
JAPANESE AAA EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
445 South Olive st., Los Angeles.
F1078, Main 1714.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—MOST RELIABLE, EXPERIENCED MIDdle-aged nurse, infant or grown, fond of children; kind, patient, highest city references; willing to assist; good sewer. Call 2 days, city or country. 831 S. FLOWER ST. Broadway 1269.

WANTED — BY AN EXPERIENCED COLORED woman, cooking or housework in a first-class family or boarding-house in or near the city. Phone mornings between 8 and 10. BROADWAY 2512.

WANTED—POSITION AS MANAGING OR WORKing housekeeper by lady of refinement and experience, capable of taking full charge; fond of children; references. Address D, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, A COMPETENT BUSINESS woman with extensive experience in first-class hotels as manager and steward. Will go anywhere, seeks position. Address B, box 251. TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GOOD COOK WISHES POSITION IN American family, one speaking a little French; cooking only; best references. Address ODVART, 35 Raymond ave., West Alhambra.

WANTED — POSITION AS COMPANION AND housekeeper or governess for small girl not under 3 years; New Thought people preferred. Address D, box 133, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO WORK FOR ROOM AND BOARD for two and $10 per month; refined mother and son, 16 (employed.) Answer at once. Address V, box 569, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG GERMAN WOMAN WISHES situation as housekeeper with gentleman or in small family. Please give particulars. Address D, box 161, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A BRIGHT AND AMBITIOUS YOUNG lady wishes position to help in composing-room, day or night work. Address C, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WOMAN WILL DO LIGHT HOUSEWORK and mind children while mother does holiday shopping, 25 cents hour and car fare. MAIN 2971.

WANTED — A RELIABLE PRACTICAL NURSE wishes position, 10 years' experience, can furnish best of city references. Phones 71035, WEST 1659.

WANTED—AM AN A-1 STENOGRAPHER AND book-keeper, and can do your work, local references, salary reasonable. Address W, box 535, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN WANTS HOUSEwork in a small family; good cook; good home preferred to high wages. Address D, box 182, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY RELIABLE NURSE, nervous, chronic or tubercular patient. Will leave city. References. 1216 CATALINA ST. Phone West 4884.

WANTED—SITUATION. FRENCH GIRL, EXPERIenced, speaks German, English also, as nursery governess. Good references. Address B, box 266, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION BY HONEST GERMAN girl, 35, splendid cook; wages $40. Best references. 131 WEST COLORADO ST., Room 1, Pasadena.

WANTED — NEAT, REFINED WOMAN WISHES light housework for good home and small wages. Address MRS. ROBERTS, 1022 S. Flower st., Phone F3196.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING, BY competent white woman. PHONE mornings, A2839, MAIN 1065.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE WHITE WOMAN, WASHing, ironing and cleaning for Thursday and Saturday. Call VERMONT 3024.

WANTED—JAPANESE GIRL WISHES JOB GENeral help in family. Apply Home 72861. 2503 VERMONT AVE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED COLORED GIRL wants general housework with private family. Call BROADWAY 6373.

WANTED—MASSEUSE, SWEDISH GRADUATE, wishes position, institution or private party. Address B, box 88, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— HEALTHY YOUNG MOTHER WANTS position as wet nurse. Can give references. Address XT, 522, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — WOMAN WITH GIRL WISHES POSItion as cook or housework, city or country. 175 N. SPRING ST., room 13, B.

WANTED — WOMAN WANTS TO DO COOKING and housework, more for a good home than for wages. Call at 2432 BROOKLYN AVE.

WANTED—A COMPETENT COLORED GIRL DEsires position as maid in private family, drug store or apartment-house. SOUTH 1308.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER'S POSITION BY EASTern woman, good New England cook, capable of taking full charge. PHONE BROADWAY 4604.

WANTED — COMPETENT WOMAN (COLORED) wants laundry work or will go out to serve dinners. BROADWAY 5324.

WANTED — COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER, EMployed half-day, desires work, either mornings or afternoons. 73795, MAIN 9090.

WANTED—SITUATION AS A COOK BY A RELIable colored woman, good cook and neat with work. PHONE SOUTH 2098.

WANTED—LIGHT HOUSEWORK FROM 8 TO 2 p.m. by reliable colored woman; references. Address D, box 125, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHER WITH experience wishes position. PHONE BROADWAY 3888.

WANTED — SITUATION AS CHAMBERMAID, first-class references. Address D, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COLORED LAUNDRESS wants day's work and bundles to take home. VERMONT 815.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSING, CONFINEMENT a specialty, good care, unquestionable references. Call NURSE, F4183.

WANTED—BY LADY, HALLS TO CARE FOR IN apt.-house for room rent. Phone BROADWAY 6542.

WANTED — RELIABLE COLORED GIRL WANTS work in office, housemaid or nurse girl. Call 1311½ PALOMA AVE.

WANTED — CAPABLE MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN wants position as companion or care of children. Address D, box 176, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COMPETENT COLORED WOMAN WANTS general housework; good plain cook. Phone WILSHIRE 871.

WANTED—TYPIST AND STENOGRAPHER DESIRES position; moderate salary to commence. Address V, box 576, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, HOUSE CLEANING, WASHing and ironing; $1.60; city references. MAIN 4181.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING OR HOUSE CLEANing; experienced. A4485, BROADWAY 2905.

WANTED — GENERAL HOUSEWORK BY THORoughly competent woman. A3790, MAIN 4945.

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED WOMAN, LIGHT housework; small family adults; references. A4741.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED MANIcurist. PHONE BROADWAY 4656.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY JAPANESE SCHOOL girl, 1659 HARVARD BLVD.

WANTED—BY COMPETENT COLORED GIRL, COOKing or housework. PHONE BROADWAY 5308.

WANTED—POSITION AT ONCE, BY COMPETENT stenographer, $8 per week. F3193; MAIN 4798.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY WANTS PLACE TO earn board and room. VERMONT 2687.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL WANTS TO ASSIST with housework. MAIN 3348.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—A1 LAUNDRESS WOULD LIKE TO GO out Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Phone BROADWAY 2590, after 1:30, on Sunday.

WANTED—CATERING AND SERVING AT DINNERS, parties, etc., or any other day work. Reliable. CALL 31607.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK AND LAUNDRY WORK to take home. Main 8575. House number, 123 Hewitt st. MARIE SCOTT.

WANTED—WOMAN WANTS WORK BY THE DAY. Phone SOUTH 2432.

WANTED—FINNISH WOMAN WANTS WORK BY the day. Boyle 647. 1152 JANE ST.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING OR CLEANING. MRS. FOGAL, phone 41598.

WANTED—COLORED LADY WANTS HOUSE OR laundry work to do by day. WILSHIRE 3697.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS BY DAY, OR will take bundle home. MAIN 8869.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED, SMALL, FURNISHED OFFICE IN FIRST-class building; prefer one office in part of suite; require space for self and stenographer. Rent must be reasonable. Please give particulars in reply. P.O. BOX 573, Los Angeles.

WANTED—TO RENT FURNISHED OFFICE; BEST references given. Address V, box 552, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT 4-ROOM DOUBLE BUNGAlow; must be west of Main street. WEST 3478.

WANTED—
Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WANTED—IF YOU ARE TIRED OF YOUR TINTED walls have them papered and decorated at a reasonable price.
WEST END DECORATING CO.,
3757 Arlington St.,
Phone West 3590.

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WANTED — ROOF REPAIRING, PAINTING, CHIMney sweeping, furniture repairing. A. H. MONMERT, 1537 W. Pico. Wilshire 711. 52567.

WANTED—PAPERHANGER DOES PAINTING, TINTing. Man who knows his business wishes work, day or contract. PHONE 38123.

WANTED—ROOMS PAPERED, $2 AND UP; ALSO painting and tinting. 441 RUTH AVE. Broadway 6067.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, DECORATING. Prices reasonable, work guaranteed. Phones 13457, Main 1520. SHIELDS.

WANTED — CARPENTER WORK, CONTRACT OR day, remodeling and repairing. Phone GARVANZA 82.

WANTED—PAPER HANGING AND CALCIMINING, prices reasonable. ARTHUR VERVOORT, Gen. Del., city.

WANTED — SITUATION; CARPENTER WORK BY good fast man; can take charge. PHONE 28460.

WANTED—ONLY JAPANESE DECORATOR. HARRY NOKAGAWA, 128 N. San Pedro st.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—AMBITIOUS MAN OF GOOD APPEARance to purchase interest of retiring partner in business established four years; price $750, part cash, balance out of business; legitimate; stand strict investigation. 623 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

WANTED — SERVICES GOOD MAN WITH SOME money to buy interest very grandly established genteel business, clear net $40 to $85 weekly. Particulars, 355 S. BROADWAY, room 202.

WANTED—FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN GOOD blacksmith shop and wagon buying and selling. Address C, box 232, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A PARTNER TO TAKE HALF INTERest in a cleaning, dyeing and tailoring business. Call HOME GLENDALE 2641.

WANTED—PARTNER; THE BEST PAYING BUSIness in the city; little money required. 652 SO. SPRING.

WANTED—PARTNER, WITH $400, IN WHOLESALE business; no experience needed. See MR. SHARPE, 356 Wilcox Bldg.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $3500. FOR FURther information write. Address VD, box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM BY YOUNG MAN IN exchange for services before and after school hours. PHONE 66310.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—HAVE CLIENT WITH CASH FOR MODERN RESIDENCE, WILSHIRE OR WEST ADAMS SECTION. MUST HAVE TWO BATHS, GARAGE, ETC.; MUST BE WELL BUILT AND CHEAPLY PRICED. CASH TALKS. GET IN YOUR DESCRIPTION AT ONCE. DESCRIBE THOROUGHLY AS I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT IS WANTED AND NO ATTENTION WILL BE PAID TO ANSWERS NOT DESCRIPTIVE. WILL GO AS HIGH AS $15,000. ADDRESS V, BOX 558, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—ACTION AND QUICK RESULTS INVARiably follow the use of the classified columns in The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE GOOD LOT NEAR WILshire blvd., not over $4000, or good 2-story modern residence, same location; have 10 acres of choice citrus land, near Lindsay, Cal., worth $2500, and balance cash or mortgage. See A. H. BARRY, with David Barry & Co., 1216 Hibernian Bldg. 60560, Broadway 369.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FROM OWNER, WHO is forced to sell, a modern residence located in the fashionable west end. Will pay $20,000 to $30,000 cash. We mean business. Proposition will be considered confidential. STILSON BROS., 318 H. W. Hellman Bldg. F1623.

WANTED—YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR EXchange. List all your property with us. Tax and street lien reports showing condition of your property for $1 per lot.
RISDON & GLENN,
739 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 10, A3756.

WANTED—A LOT OR A SMALL BUNGALOW IN West Hollywood, near 5c car line; will give $800 of L. A. Investment Gold Notes and $50 a month on balance. Give location and price. Address V, box 556, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — HAVE CLIENTS FOR NEW, 6-ROOM bungalow, Hollywood district, up to $3000, $100 down, and lot, Shoestring Strip; one $200 down, best terms. List your Hollywood property with me. B. GOODWIN, 4632 Vermont Place.

WANTED—20 TO 40 ACRES, SANTA ANA WAY, for some good lots, nearly clear, and some cash. Give full description and price. Address W, box 590, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE A WELL-ORGANIZED sales force and are equipped to advertise and handle a good subdivision, we might consider giving you the sales agency of our choice tract. Address W, box 311, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BUNGALOW TO $2600 IN EXCHANGE for rooming-house, 40 rooms, on S. Flower, some cash. MILLER REALTY CO., 622 Hollingsworth Bldg. F7729.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE THE FINEST 5-ROOM bungalow that $3500 or $4000 will buy. Want possession Sunday next. Phone after noon today.
MR. MILLARD,
10261. Main 8506.

WANTED—ACRE OR LOT, GIVE FULL DESCRIPtion and price, Athens-on-the-Hill. Address BC, box 385, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WE CAN SELL OR EXCHANGE YOUR property; try us. AUGUSTUS V. CURRY CO., 531 Consolidated Realty Bldg. F2845; Main 5016.

WANTED—YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR EXchange, can sell or match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 739 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—TO RENT 5 OR 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, prefer Boyle Heights, in exchange for equity in 7-room house Bimini way. PHONE 59154.

WANTED—LOT FOR FLATS, CLOSE IN, TO $4000, on west side. MAIN 2202. F2202.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—DIAMONDS, DIAMONDS—
SEE US LAST. We want your
DIAMONDS and pay more.
Any quantity. Private rooms. KUSEL,
206-207 STIMSON BLDG. Third and Spring.

WANTED — ANY QUANTITY OR QUALITY OF restaurant fixtures, store fixtures, office furniture, good household furniture, merchandise. Phone Main 3042. F3018. L. C. SKEELS, 913 S. Main st.

WANTED—TOP PRICES PAID FOR LADIES' AND gentlemen's used clothing by COHEN'S MISFIT CLOTHING HOUSE. A courteous buyer at your call. 808 S. Spring st. F2890, Main 4024.

WANTED—TO BUY DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, GOLD, sterling silverware, furs, oil paintings, automobiles. We loan money on above goods. MARKWELL & CO., 302 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—LADIES AND MEN'S USED CLOTHING, evening wear, etc. Positively highest prices paid. ARNOLD, Main 5745; A5731.

WANTED—HOW ABOUT YOUR OLD CLOTHES? I pay highest prices. Will call any time, everywhere. 125½ E. 4TH. Broadway 6152.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, EMERALDS, PEARLS, and jewelry. Any amount. Pay highest cash prices. HARRY REID, 705 Grant Bldg. Phone 11920.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, SILVER, bought for cash. THE CRAFT SHOP, Room 320-321 O. T. Johnson Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

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WANTED — GOOD SECOND-HAND OUTFITS, AIR brush and burning needles, wood blocks for die work. 2227 W. 9TH ST.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, ANTIQUES, bought for cash. H. B. CROUCH CO., 217 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY, HIGHEST prices paid. Private rooms. J. C. FERGUSSON, 233-234 Homer Laughlin Bldg. F3516.

WANTED—LADIES' AND GENT'S CLOTHING, ALSO furniture and carpets; highest prices paid. BROADWAY 4447.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR FEATHER BEDS. 758 SAN PEDRO ST. Main 1169.

WANTED—TO BUY WAGON, SOME RANCH TOOLS, windmill and tank. Write 816 YALE ST.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

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DON'T WAIT.
until the last minute to telephone your "Want Ad." to The Times, but get it in early.

WANTED—THE CUT-RATE FURNITURE MOVING Company will move all your furniture and piano by contract for $4 or $8. Phone day or night. BOYLE 2065. HOME 41439.

WANTED—THE GERM. EV. LUTH. CONGREGAtion is going to build a new church. Will be ready to receive plans in the near future. Address 240 W. WALNUT, Pasadena, Cal.

WANTED—A BUNCH OF VIOLETS GIVEN AWAY this week with every ladies' suit pressed at THE MASTER PRESSER. 930 So. Broadway.

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL FOR CASH, OLD-fashioned jewelry, silverware, laces, antiques; also old gold. 614 W. 6TH ST., near Grand.

WANTED—GENTS' USED CLOTHING, TOOLS, AND books, highest prices paid. F4971. 106 E. First STREET.

WANTED—
Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY THE VERY HIGHEST CASH price for all kinds of furniture, household goods, merchandise, etc., any quantity; we also sell on commission and advance cash on consignments. A trial will convince you, and we are always at your service. We have the largest, best equipped and oldest auction house in the State. REED & HAMMOND, Auctioneers, 1049 S. Broadway, and Main. Phones: Broadway 2860. Home F2545.

WANTED—WE PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICES for household and office furniture, stoves, gas ranges, rugs and carpets of every description. H. ARNOLD FURNITURE CO., 143 E. Seventh st. Main 2582; F5624.

WANTED—FURNITURE, RUGS, OFFICE FIXTURES, good or otherwise, cash prices. LEVY, 417 W. Seventh. Phone Broadway 1791.

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Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY MORE CASH FOR FURNITURE, household goods, merchandise, etc., than any firm in the city; any quantity; also sell on commission; cash advanced on consignments. Largest and oldest established auction house in [illegible]. RHOADES & RHOADES, Auctioneers, [illegible] Main st. Phones: 25679, Main [illegible].

WANTED—PRIVATE PARTY WANTS FURNITURE and furnishings up to 10 rooms. Goods must be good and clean. No rooming-house. Will pay top price. Address C, box 184, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FURNITURE, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, office furniture, restaurant outfits. Call or [illegible] J. J. SUGARMAN AUCTION CO., 114 [illegible] Main 3114; F4810.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND FURNITURE AND household goods; highest price paid; [illegible] offer. JENKINS FURNITURE CO., [illegible] Phone 28596.

WANTED—FURNITURE TO FURNISH [illegible] best price guaranteed; will buy any amount. [illegible] MAIN 7379, F4450.

WANTED — FOR CASH OR EXCHANGE, FURNIture, stoves and rugs. GEO. W. DEWEY, [illegible] S. Main. F5196, Main 1968.

WANTED—PARTY DESIRES TO PURCHASE [illegible] or more rooms of furniture. PHONE [illegible].

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—PERKINSON HOTEL.
Just opened. No extra charge for two in room. Hot water day and night. Private [illegible] shower baths. Phone, steam heat and hot and cold water in every room. Rates $4 [illegible] week without bath; $6 per week with private [illegible] 12 minutes' walk to 5th and Broadway. [illegible] the most beautifully-finished and furnished [illegible] in the city, and we will be delighted to [illegible] you through, whether you rent or not. [illegible] side, bright, quiet rooms and kept [illegible] all times. Convenient to restaurants and [illegible] board. 824 GOLDEN AVE., third block [illegible] Figueroa, between 8th and 9th.

TO LET—THE STILWELL.
New, 10-story, FIREPROOF hotel of [illegible] each with PRIVATE BATH. Rates [illegible] DAY; $10 A WEEK, $35 A MONTH [illegible] and see our HOTEL. [illegible] S. GRAND. [illegible] 60297, Broadway 237.

TO LET—WANT BUSINESS MEN AND [illegible] to know nicest rooms in Los Angeles.
CLAYMORE ARMS HOTEL.
434 Centennial st. $2.50 up. [illegible] privileges free. Sunset blvd., Temple car [illegible] tennial. 61948, Main [illegible].

TO LET—THE LEVERTON, [illegible] between Bunker Hill and Figueroa; 1, 2 [illegible] room apartments, new and up-to-date, [illegible] month and up. Single rooms. [illegible] dren welcome.

TO LET— HOTEL OVIATT,
Pico and Flower.
New and modern, within walking [illegible] heart of city; rooms single and en suite; [illegible] rates by the month. Both phones.

TO LET — EVERY CONVENIENCE [illegible] rooms at Hotel Mercer, $4 per week [illegible] walking distance; see them; you will [illegible] Telephone and bath with every room. [illegible] HILL ST.

TO LET — $3 PER WEEK, OUTSIDE [illegible] room, large sleeping porch, housekeeping [illegible] leges, every modern convenience, [illegible] smaller room, $2. 415 W. WASHINGTON [illegible] 29455.

TO LET — NEWLY-FURNISHED ROOMS, [illegible] heat, baths, both phones, walking distance; [illegible] and $4 per week; special rates for the month. [illegible] W. THIRD ST., near Figueroa. [illegible]

TO LET—OUTSIDE, SUNNY ROOMS, NEW [illegible] building, steam heat, hot and cold water, private baths; telephones; $3 up; walking distance. HOTEL IVAN, 947 W. Sixth.

TO LET — HOUSEKEEPING, $11, $14, [illegible] front 2-room suites; bay windows, [illegible] pletely furnished; sink, range, heater, [illegible] phone, linen. 3302½ S. MAIN.

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY ROOMS, CLEAN [illegible] attractive, within walking distance; [illegible] rates to permanent people. PHONE [illegible] 2643.

TO LET—TEMPLETON APTS.
Clean, sunny housekeeping rooms, [illegible] and three-room suites. Three blocks from [illegible] office. 530 TEMPLE ST. A1872.

TO LET— HOTEL WATSON,
Pico and Flower sts. 100 outside rooms, [illegible] week up; special rates by the month; hot and cold water in every room. You will like the [illegible]

TO LET—HOTEL ALAN, [illegible] S. [illegible] Just opened. Elevator, lobby, running hot and cold water; free baths; telephone in room. [illegible] and $3 per week.

TO LET—SUNNY, HEATED, FURNISHED [illegible] and kitchenette; also another [illegible] neighborhood. Phone 24186. 1416 S. [illegible] TON.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED [illegible] select neighborhood, Westlake district, [illegible] distance; all comforts; one block from [illegible] 1216 ORANGE. Phone 51822.

TO LET— REX HOTEL,
316 S. Broadway.
Central location, good light and [illegible] $2.50 up. Bath, phone free, heated [illegible]

TO LET—HAZEL HURST HOTEL, [illegible] rooms, hot and cold water, [illegible] $2.50. 773 OTTAWA ST., near [illegible]

TO LET—ONE, TWO OR THREE FURNISHED [illegible] unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, [illegible] GLADYS AVE.

TO LET—SUNNY ROOMS, WELL FURNISHED, housekeeping, laundry privileges. [illegible] W. EIGHTH ST.

TO LET—NICE FRONT ROOM, HOT AND [illegible] water, use of piano, also other rooms, [illegible] HOTEL WELLAND, 940 S. Broadway.

TO LET—HOTEL VAL DEMAR, [illegible] with or without bath, $3.50 and up. [illegible] Sixth and Hope.

TO LET—LARGE, WELL FURNISHED [illegible] private bath, in private home. [illegible] Phone 51157.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, [illegible] running water, phone. Centrally located, [illegible] per week up. ROBERTA, 818 S. [illegible]

TO LET—NEATLY FURNISHED, SUNNY [illegible] with running water, $1.50 per week and [illegible] THE NORTHFIELD, 508 Ruth ave.

TO LET—ARIZONA HOTEL, [illegible] Spring, clean, neatly furnished rooms, [illegible] week up. Special attention to transients.

TO LET — NEWLY-FURNISHED LARGE [illegible] room, private family. [illegible] Only one to let. PHONE WEST [illegible]

TO LET—PART OF FINE RESIDENCE [illegible] locality, two sunny rooms, balcony and [illegible] adjoining. 52730.

TO LET—FURNISHED, 2 LARGE ROOMS, [illegible] ing porch and garage. 126 S. [illegible] Phone Wilshire 3447.

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOM. [illegible] AVE.

TO LET—$2, $2.25 WEEK, [illegible] housekeeping rooms, bath. [illegible]

TO LET — NICELY-FURNISHED FRONT [illegible] with lavatory, $3 week. [illegible] S. GRAND.

TO LET — VERY CLEAN, WELL-HEATED [illegible] room, shower bath, gentlemen. PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM WITH OR [illegible] board on car line, modern. PHONE [illegible]

TO LET — TWO-ROOM FURNISHED [illegible] the rear. PHONE 71414.

TO LET—ROOMS FROM $2 UP, ALL [illegible] rooms. 345 S. OLIVE.

TO LET—
Unfurnished Rooms.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING [illegible] light and sunny; walking distance. [illegible] 1627 PALOMA AVE. South [illegible]

TO LET—
Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—FLATS, WELL APPOINTED, [illegible] finished, 4 rooms, bath, screen porch, [illegible] porch, storeroom, high ground, [illegible] air direct from mountains; [illegible] minutes from Sixth and Broadway; [illegible] car line. Adults. Apply W. L. [illegible] Bonnie Brae, corner Lomd, [illegible]

TO LET — SUNNY NEW 4-ROOM FLATS, [illegible] and lower, at 541 W. VERNON, [illegible] Hardwood floors, 2 disappearing beds, [illegible] rated, sunroom, gas range, linoleum, [illegible] age; adults; $30.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED 5-ROOM LOWER [illegible] Westlake district; new and up-to-date. [illegible] ANGE ST., near Burlington ave. [illegible] Seventh-st. car line. Phone [illegible]

TO LET—418½ N. PARK VIEW, [illegible] tifully decorated, all modern [illegible] shine in every room. Call or phone [illegible] E. CHAPIN, 620 [illegible]

TO LET—MODERN, SUNNY, FOUR-ROOM [illegible] cottage flat, disappearing bed, [illegible] 11 minutes to First and [illegible] N. WESTLAKE AVE. Wilshire [illegible]

TO LET—$25; 1146 S. FLOWER, [illegible] 4-room flat, walking distance, [illegible] including water and lawn kept. [illegible] OWNER, 53737.

TO LET—UPPER SWISS DUPLEX, NEW [illegible] 3 beds, sun in every room, [illegible] garage, adults. 1824 SO. [illegible] Washington st. Phone [illegible]

TO LET—THE MOST ATTRACTIVE [illegible] date flat in the city, on beautiful [illegible] ave., convenient to three car lines. [illegible] LAND AVE.

TO LET — 4-ROOM UP-TO-DATE FLAT, [illegible] reasonable. Call at 149 E. [illegible] South 5396.

TO LET—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, [illegible] 4-room flat, $22.50. [illegible] Pavlova street. 11th st. [illegible]

TO LET—FOUR-ROOM SLEEPING PORCH, [illegible] wood floors, modern in every [illegible] stairs flat; best car service, [illegible]

TO LET—WILL RENT [illegible] the year for $25 month, walking [illegible] lake section; every convenience. [illegible]

TO LET—TWO CONNECTING [illegible] for housekeeping, [illegible] $12 per month. [illegible]

TO LET — WESTLAKE'S FINEST [illegible] and bath lower flat, [illegible] KELLY, 352 I. W. Hellman [illegible]

TO LET—NEW 4-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] veniences; bed [illegible] including water. [illegible]

TO LET—ALMOST NEW, FIVE-ROOM [illegible] flat, all modern conveniences, [illegible] Inquire 136 West 22nd st. [illegible]

TO LET — NEW, STRICTLY MODERN [illegible] flat; adults only. 1051½ [illegible] 55452. Take W. 11th st. car [illegible]

TO LET—NEW THREE AND FIVE-ROOM [illegible] with garage, $30 [illegible] Dalton car to 42nd place. [illegible]

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] Prices very moderate. [illegible] near Figueroa.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] cation, ½ block from Westlake [illegible] VIEW ST. 557326.

TO LET — NEW 4-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] conveniences and garage. [illegible] 7029.

TO LET—NICE THREE-ROOM [illegible] Pico, plenty of [illegible]

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Classified Liners.

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Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—BETWEEN WESTLAKE AND [illegible] Parks: ten minutes from Broadway, [illegible] second-floor FLAT, front bow window [illegible] connecting by sliding doors with [illegible] also dressing-room, hall, four closets, [illegible] bath, mantel, white enamel and mahogany [illegible] all floors woodstone or hardwood, [illegible] seats and lockers; private front porch; [illegible] built-in beds, mirrors, buffet, piano, [illegible] elegantly furnished. ADULTS. PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—
We have a vacancy in one of those most [illegible] like five large room flats, inside our own [illegible] yard, with private care and water free, to [illegible] with reference only.
J. FRANK BOWEN, owner,
Residence, 4069 S. Figueroa st.
Office, 420 Stimson Bldg.

[illegible]

TO LET—
Furnished Flats.

[illegible]

TO LET—
Apartments Furnished.

TO LET—
DE LUXE,
617 Westmoreland ave.
Finest apartments in America.
Most exclusive neighborhood.
Elegantly furnished. New.
Every known modern convenience.
Sleeping porch, sun parlor,
garage and maid's room with
each apartment. One
bachelor apartment with
kitchenette.
F. D. TURNER, Owner,
Home 597870.

[illegible]

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TO LET—We have a vacancy in one of those most homelike [illegible] room flats, inside our own private [illegible] with private care and water free, to adults [illegible] only.
J. FRANK BOWEN, owner.
Residence, 4060 S. Figueroa st.
Office, 420 Stimson Bldg.

TO LET—$30; BRAND NEW 4-ROOM BUNGALOWS [illegible] 2195 Vermont ave. Phone West 3782. [illegible] 230 S. Burlington; 2 Holmes [illegible] BUILT-IN EFFECT. Elegant bath, [illegible] curtained cat, rear rooms composition [illegible] garage. C. H. KEGLEY, 54438.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN UPPER FLAT, CLOSE in; adults only. 960 VALENCIA.

TO LET—$22; SUNNY, 3-ROOM FLAT, TWO WALL beds. Walking distance. 463½ LUCAS.

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, TWO BLOCKS EAST OF [illegible]; adults. 1336 SANTEE ST.

TO LET—$20; MODERN 5-ROOM SUNNY COTtage, close in. 137 W. 22ND ST., near Main.

TO LET—3 ROOM FOR LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING [illegible] 962 SERRANO AVE. Phone 74585.

TO LET—5-ROOM FLAT; 2 SLEEPING PORCHES; [illegible] 962 SERRANO AVE. Phone 74585.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE, NEW 4-ROOM FLAT. FINE [illegible] garage. 1433 MAGNOLIA AVE.

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[illegible] apartments in America.
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EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE.
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[illegible] individually furnished as one would [illegible] home, separate bedrooms and dressing-[illegible] porches; service is of the very best. [illegible] for motor owners.
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[illegible] W. Adams st.
[illegible] furnished, two and three-room apart[illegible]. Special rates made to per[illegible]. Phone SOUTH 6208; HOME 21250.

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Fireproof Construction.
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[illegible] and up-to-date. Steam heat. Elevator. [illegible] to make you comfortable. Make your [illegible]. 611 S. BONNIE BRAE. 54782.

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TO LET—NICE, CLEAN 5-ROOM MODERN COTtage, furnished, no objection to children; must be seen to be appreciated. Call 1219 IBOLO ST. Pico Heights, for keys. Phone West 4017.

TO LET—TWO BEAUTIFULLY-FURNISHED BUNgalows, 5 and 6 rooms, $35 and $30. 5858 BRENTWOOD AVE. Call South 5247.

TO LET—FURNISHED BUNGALOW IN WILSHIRE district, 6 rooms, garage, $65 per month to responsible party. PHONE 56380.

TO LET—STRICTLY MODERN, NICELY FURNISHed 7-room bungalow, in beautiful North Wilshire district, $50. A1765 or BROADWAY 696.

TO LET—SIX-ROOM COTTAGE, WELL FURNISHed, piano, large yard, rent $25. Phone VERMONT 847; BROADWAY 4698.

TO LET—FURNISHED COTTAGE, WORKING MAN preferred, $6 month; on 5c car line. SUTCLIFFE, Postmaster, Edendale, Wilshire 2710.

TO LET—FURNISHED 4-ROOM COTTAGE WITH 2 beds, gas and wood stove; rent $20. 201 W. 33RD ST., between two car lines.

TO LET—FURNISHED 6-ROOM MODERN BUNgalow, $35 a month. Apply 4633 N. GRIFFIN. East 2060.

TO LET—$20, COMPLETELY FURNISHED 4-ROOM modern cottage. 101 E. AVE. 36, corner Pasadena ave.

TO LET—4-ROOM FURNISHED COTTAGE AT 418 Magnolia ave., Long Beach, $17 per month. ELVIN J. CURRY, 612 Fay Bldg., Los Angeles.

TO LET—FURNISHED, BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM BUNgalow, three bedrooms, $45 or $40 on lease. Owner at 2155 W. 27TH ST.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED HALF COTTAGE, gas and electric lights, also house, all new furniture. 1815 GEORGIA ST.

TO LET—$12; 3-ROOM FURNISHED BUNGALOW. 1458 RIDGEWAY, in rear Angeleno Heights. Two persons only.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED HOUSE TO ACcommodate 5; cheap rent. Walking distance. 1325 W. FOURTH ST.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED, THE CUTEST 4-room bungalow for two. 1964 NORWOOD. Washington car.

TO LET—MODERN, 4 ROOMS AND BATH FURnished cottage, walking distance; $25. West 11th street car to 1655 BYRAM ST.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED MODERN 6-room bungalow, high elevation, close in. PHONE 55009.

TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, COMpletely furnished. 267 E. 47TH ST. Maple ave. car.

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TO LET— Furnished Houses.

TO LET—NICE 6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW on high ground, furnished complete. Garage, furnace, lawn and flowers. Adults only. Rent $50. 1733 4TH AVE. 73064.

TO LET — CHARMING 7-ROOM BUNGALOW IN Wilshire district, completely furnished, Stickley furniture, Wilton rugs, etc.; grounds nicely kept; reference required. Phone HOME 556700.

TO LET — 9-ROOM, ELEGANTLY FURNISHED house, $75 per month, or will lease for a term of months for $65. For particulars PHONE WILSHIRE 3960 or 556915.

TO LET—$20, 4-ROOM FURNISHED MODERN bungalow, gas, electricity, porcelain bath, grass, flowers; 15 minutes South Pasadena car. Key 141 WEST AVE. 34. Main 2646; East 872.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE 6-ROOM MODERN BUNGAlow, piano and all conveniences, lawn kept by owner. 340 W. 41ST PLACE. Phone 31067. Mrs. Segee.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED 4-ROOM bungalow, modern, clean, attractive, desirable; adults only. 2709 W. 12TH ST. Phone Wilshire 1178.

TO LET—MODERN 7-ROOM COTTAGE, 4 BEDS, sleeping porch, large lot, also new sunny flat, 2 beds, gas, electric and wood stoves. 1721 NEW ENGLAND. Phone 22343.

TO LET—BUNGALOW, THREE ROOMS, BATH, built-in beds, 1960 Vermont ave. Also three-room flat, 1970 Vermont ave. Keys for both 1575 W. 20TH ST. Phone 24233. Home.

TO LET—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED MODERN 6-room bungalow, 5875 S. HOOVER ST., corner 59th; rent $35. Take Vermont Heights car, corner Fourth and Broadway. Phone Vermont 2019.

TO LET—HOUSES AND BUNGALOWS IN THE North Wilshire district. Furnished and unfurnished. Owner, 315 N. OXFORD AVE. Phone 56131.

TO LET—MODERN BUNGALOW HOME, 6 ROOMS, and sleeping porch, nicely furnished, piano, choice neighborhood, close in. Apply owner, 1015 W. 22ND ST.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, COMpletely furnished. 151 W. 63RD ST. $22.50.

TO LET—FURNISHED 5-ROOM COTTAGE, FOR $12 per month. Phone SOUTH 6602.

TO LET—FURNISHED 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, WEST side, $35 monthly. PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

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Will erect a 1 or 2-story building on Hope street between 8th and 9th, east front, lot 60x165, no alley. Will make 5 or 10-year lease at 5 per cent. net on ground value of $75,000 and 6 per cent. net on cost of building.
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THOS. C. BUNDY & CO.,
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TO LET—STOREROOMS IN NEW FIREPROOF brick building, corner N. Broadway and Griffin, suitable for grocery, butcher, hardware, dry goods, or department store; rent reasonable. Phone: MAIN 125, or 10126.

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TO LET—FURNISHED OFFICE OR DESK ROOM with office service and phones. 405 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

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TO LET—DESK SPACE ON GROUND FLOOR, $20 per month; good location. See Mr Vinton, F. H. REDPATH CO., 627 S. Hill st.

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TO LET — REAR BUILDING ON ALLEY FOR plumber, painter or carpenter, $25 per month. OLD MISSION STUDIO, 234 S. Main.

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TO LET—STORES FOR STOREROOM. 2120 E. NINTH ST. Apply Landlady.

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TO LET—3 STORES, 133 S. SAN PEDRO ST. Low rent, $25 month up.

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TO LET—160 ACRES GOOD FARMING LAND, UNimproved, suitable for hay and grain, for a term of years, two miles from Banning. Address JAMES BASCH, 12 Geary st., San Francisco.

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TO LET—TWO ACRES, CHICKEN RANCH, FIVE-room house, good soil, seventeen minutes from P. E. depot, reasonable. See R. E. SMADER, Watts.

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TO LET—11-ROOM HOUSE, NEW AND MODERN; 4 of the rooms are screen porches, 2 sleeping porches; $30 per month; in Alhambra, Cal. No. 15 N. Hidalgo ave. Address S. A. CLARK, 411½ N. Main st., Santa Ana, Cal.

FOR SALE— Houses.

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Responsible buyer can secure new six-room bungalow on lot 50x150 in one of the best sections of the city, on very small first payment and monthly installments, $32.50, including interest. House has imported tapestry wall paper, composition stone drainboard, hardwood floors, up-to-date built-in conveniences and large front and side verandas. F. H. SMITH, 129 S. Broadway. 10963; Main 496.

FOR SALE—
FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW. $2450.
A real sacrifice in a new 5-room bungalow, oak floors in all rooms, Swiss chalet and up-to-date; lot 50x142, only 20 minutes downtown and 1 block from fine boulevard and car line; my price only $2450. Terms $100 cash, $25 per month. It's on high ground, fine mountain view. Call MR. SMITH, F6044.

FOR SALE — COSY 4-ROOM BUNGALOW WITH large lot, $1750 on very easy terms. This place will make an ideal home for a man having early working hours. Just one-half block from yellow car. Commands beautiful view of mountains. See R. M. KELSEY, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg. Main 1371, Home 10026.

FOR SALE — SNAP! HOUSE AND LOT 50x200, southwest, 4-room house, bath, toilet, hardwood floor, screen porch, nice lawn front and rear; 20 fruit trees, garage, chicken house and corrals for 600 chickens, 1 block from two 5c car lines; will sacrifice this week for $1900; is well worth $2800, part terms. See owner, HESKETT REALTY CO., 606 Story Bldg. F4527; Main 2175.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, NEW BUNGAlows.
316-320 N. Normandie, 5 rooms, $3300.
317-321 N. Normandie, 6 rooms, $3600.
317 N. Serrano, 6 rooms, $3700, easy payments.
Commission to agents. Western ave. car. Phone HOLLYWOOD 429. W. Veeder, owner, 312 N. Serrano ave.

FOR SALE — BIG SNAP IN 4-ROOM MODERN house, plastered, bath, gas, electricity, cement work in. If sold this week am instructed to take $1750. Can make terms $75 cash and $18 per month, including interest. W. B. SIM, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg., 6th and Main. Main 1371, Home 10026.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE BUNGALOW, NO. 523 N. GRAMERCY PLACE. 5 big rooms and sleeping porch. In a fine location, among beautiful bungalows. Terms only $300 cash and $30 per month, including interest, a bargain for $3600. TYLER & CO., Owners, 906 Black Bldg., 4th and Hill Sts.

FOR SALE—OWNER WILL SACRIFICE NEW 6-room bungalow on W. 53d for cash or good payment. First-class neighborhood, all improvements in and paid for. Property clear. PHONE BOYLE 590.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 7-ROOM BUNGALOW, west side, Maryland ave. between First and Doran, Glendale. Lot 57½x137½. Highest class modern improvements. Will sell cheap for cash. Address HUTCHINSON, 607 Title Insurance Bldg.

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FOR SALE—SIT UP AND TAKE NOTICE. 7-room modern house and fine barn, on E. 14th st., near San Pedro, big lot, price only $3800; must have $1000 cash, balance to suit; can you beat it?? See LINK, 1004 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM, TWO-STORY Swiss chalet near 18th and Arlington. This house cost me $6500, five years old. I must sell and so will discount $1000. Will take $3000 cash to handle. Write W. box 376, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TWO OF THE BEST BARGAINS EVER offered in southwest; 6-room bungalow, $3750; 7 rooms, $4000. Both new. Terms. I challenge any one to show as good value. Phone owner, 269272.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, LARGE 6-ROOM house in front and 2-room house in rear. Will sell furnished or unfurnished. Phone 41285 or call 2819 OREGON ST., Euclid Heights.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY MODERN 5-ROOM BUNgalow, sleeping porch, hardwood floors, every convenience, chicken yards, houses, fruit. $2750. $150 down. 435 W. 58TH ST. No agents.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTAGE BUNGALOW ON rear of lot, rental pays 10 per cent. on $4600, price $4250. Commission $100. Owner, 3116 S. VERMONT, Phone West 43.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM RESIDENCE, NEAR WASHington on Figueroa st. This is a bargain. ED. A. GIBBS, 734 Title Insurance Bldg. A1136; Bdwy. 1136.

FOR SALE—GOOD 7-ROOM HOUSE, MUST BE sold at once. 176 N. WORKMAN ST.

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5028 Second ave.—Job No. 1218. Another of our attractive and conveniently arranged 5-room bungalows; living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom, with first-class plumbing, neat and attractive. Price cut from $3300 to $3100. Pay only $300 cash and MOVE IN. The rest at only $28 a month. Just the home for a man who wants a comfortable, and cosy place, in a first-class district, at just about rent-paying terms.

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LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO.,
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Phones: Home 60127. Main 5647.

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We have a complete listing of houses and lots carefully selected from the cream of this high-class district.
Homes from $5000 to $40,000.
Lots from $1500 to $10,000.
See us first for Wilshire bargains. Information gladly furnished. Our machines are at your service. See R. E. Ford, manager.
Wilshire Department,
JANSS INVESTMENT CO.,
611-613 South Hill st.
Home 10345. Phones. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
UNDER VALUE
BUNGALOW 6 ROOMS $4250.
One of the cosiest homes in Hollywood. New, with two bedrooms and breakfast room. Garage and driveway. One block from car line, between Sunset and Hollywood boulevard. Lawn and flowers. In a group of beautiful homes. Owner must sell at once. Can arrange exceptionally good terms. See A. P. MITCHELL, with
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611-613 S. Hill st.
Home 10345. Phones Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW.
Cut to $2650.
Located in southwest. Price was $2950. This is a beautiful bungalow, up to the minute, large living-room with fireplace and large lounging seat, two large bedrooms, kitchen with all built-in features, well kept lawn and flowers.
Terms only $100 cash; balance $25 per month, which includes interest.
This is the best Christmas offering in a bungalow in the city. No commission to agents as this is cut to cost price.
A. O. KELLIHER,
THE LAWRENCE B. BURCK COMPANY,
5th floor, 631 S. Spring st.
10685. Phones. Main 6661.

FOR SALE—FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW.
This week, $2450.
Original Price $2750.
Terms: $100 cash, balance $25 per month. Large lot 50x142, level and high elevation. The house is brand new, hardwood floors, fireplace, bookcases, prettily decorated, elegant fixtures and up-to-date in every respect.
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FOR SALE—
A BARGAIN, WILSHIRE BUNGALOW.
It must be sold, has 6 pretty rooms. Brand new, on 50 foot lot, two blocks from car line. Fine mountain view. Surroundings good. It is the best buy in that district. The house can be rented for about $50 per month. You can have it for $300 down, and $35 per month. Phone F6044. MR. SMITH.

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On Dillon street, near Westlake Park.
One of the prettiest 8-room Swiss chalets in the city. Owner called away, says sell. With or without furniture. Large corner lot, has beautiful lawn, flowers, shade trees and shrubbery. Built less than two years, street entirely built up with fine homes. For information phone F. H. PRATT, 53369.

FOR SALE—HOUSES IN HIGHLAND PARK.
House No. 6203 Hays ave., near Pasadena ave. and the Carnegie Branch Library, and close to proposed Arroyo Seco ave., with a wide lot; garage could be built. Fine 5-room house, only $2000. $50 or more cash and $25 monthly. We have many other installment places. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—MODERN HOUSE, 10 ROOMS, HARDwood floors throughout, 4 large bedrooms, large sleeping porch, furnace, garage, beautiful lawn, roses and fruit trees, elegant location, worth $8500; for quick sale $6750, terms; Wilton place, between 16th and Washington, east front, 3 car lines. No agents. BROADWAY 3640.

FOR SALE—$50 DOWN, $25 PER MONTH, WILL build you an ideal bungalow, brick or stone front; cement porch, hardwood floors, all built-in features, on a 50x150 lot, high ground; restricted tract. You select lot, I will draw plans to suit. WM. FLETCHER, 620 L. A. Investment Bldg. F7016. Main 2013.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE BUNGALOW, $4300, HIGH elevation, beautiful finish, in walnut and white enamel. Large Dutch breakfast room. Terms $750 down, $35 monthly. MOREY OR MURRAY, 343 S. Hill st., A4044.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY MODERN THROUGHOUT, 6-room, 2-story Swiss chalet in center of beautiful Hollywood; hardwood floors, built-in bookcase writing desk; beamed ceilings; 2 tubs; a little beauty; price $3800. 1917 N. BRONSON AVE. Hollywood 364.

FOR SALE—5 NEW BUNGALOWS—
House No. 6255 Avenue 63, near Pasadena ave., Highland Park, price $2650; $50 cash and $25 monthly. We have 4 other houses in same vicinity. Would accept lot as first payment. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—SNAP, 5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, large lot, close in, property worth $2500. Owner, going east, $1400 takes it, $500 cash. Phone WILSHIRE 2979.

FOR SALE—$3600, TERMS, NEW 6-ROOM BUNgalow, being 2724 BROOKLYN AVE. Phone Boyle 3825.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM HOUSE AND GARAGE, 15-ft. paved alley, lot 50x140; fourth house north of Pico, MAGNOLIA AVE. $1000 under value.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—NEW MODERN houses on Oxford avenue. No agents. OWNER, 315 NORTH OXFORD AVE., Phone 56131.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, DEC. 17, MODERN 6-room bungalow, and contents. See Auction column of Dec. 14.

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TWO SPLENDID LOTS.
ONE $600—ONE $850.
20 minutes from Broadway. Near auto boulevard and fast electric car line. Every improvement in, gas, electricity, telephone, pavements, streets, etc. Will make very easy terms on each of these lots. $25 cash and $10 a month. Call for MR. PETERSON, 611 S. Hill st. Phone Home 10345.

FOR SALE—$10 CASH AND $10 MONTH INCLUDing interest, buys a lot between Main st. and San Pedro st. Price $725. You can build a temporary house on rear and save rent. This is one of the best investments in this city on account of Main street being the Harbor Boulevard and the new car line now building. All improvements in, big school, church and stores within one block. This is close in.
See or phone MR. DAVIS, 609 S. Hill st. Main 8172 or 60409.

FOR SALE—
I HAVE LOT 12 BLOCKS FROM THE CITY HALL ON FOUR 5-CENT CAR LINES, WHICH I WILL SELL FOR $350. COME AND SEE ME AT 715 STORY BLDG.

FOR SALE—FINE CORNER LOTS.
N.W. corner West Washington and Third avenue, 50x120; fine for apartments, store or garage. Price $6000.

N.W. corner West 16th-st. Andrews, 74x178, a particularly good location for apartments or hotel; only $8000.

N.E. corner Third and Wilton Place, 62x169, high, sightly, boulevard residence lot; a snap for $4000.
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FOR SALE—CHOICE LOTS ON 62ND AND 63RD sts.; close to Vermont ave., $900 to $1000; $50 down, $10 per month. Also business lots on Vermont ave., $1800; $100 down, $25 per month. Splendid opportunity to get a home or business lot in the beautiful southwest. Buy now for future profits.
I. H. PRESTON, Sole Agents,
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FOR SALE—$10 CASH AND $7.50 PER MONTH. Price $725. You can build a small house on rear and save rent.
Lots between Vermont and Hoover st., one-half block to yellow cars on Vermont ave., five-cent fare.
High ground, terraced lots with alleys, improvements all in and paid for. Clear title to lots.
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FOR SALE—BIG LEVEL LOT ON WEST SIDE, close to car, without building restrictions, only $750, $25 cash, $10 per month. 14 minutes from 6th and Broadway. Only one at this price and it's a big snap. See W. E. JONES, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg., 6th and Main. Main 1371; Home 10026.

FOR SALE — TWENTY-THREE DOLLARS AND fifty cents and upwards buys a lot in Hollywood Park, the beautiful foothill tract just back of Hollywood Hotel; on the terms of $5 cash and $5 monthly. Take the Van Nuys car to Hollywood Park station. Salesmen there daily, or come to PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE — SOUTHWEST CORNER LOT, NEAR Wilshire boulevard, on asphalt street, 115 ft. front. Only $4125, if sold this week for one-half or more cash. It's a case of "get the money now" and it's your move. Call on MR. McGRATH, 310 Van Nuys Bldg.

FOR SALE—FINE SIGHTLY LOTS IN GRAND View Terrace, $500 to $1500. Terms $25 down, $10 per month. Close in; good car service. Good speculation, fine for homes. See it today.
I. H. PRESTON,
A1109; Main 1109. 715-718 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, ON INSTALLMENT PLAN, small payments. Third lot east from Hoover on north side of 47th st. 46 2-3x168.9. Address HUTCHINSON, 607 Title Insurance Bldg.

FOR SALE — SACRIFICE; NORTHEAST CORNER 30th and Magnolia, 92x135, unrestricted, $10,000. H. BORUN, 4315 Berenice ave. East 3136.

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FOR SALE — A 78-YEAR OLD LADY NEEDS money; will sell a lot 50x142½, 15-foot alley, facing east on Trinity near Santa Barbara ave., for $1700 cash. Call 158½ N. BEAUDRY AVE.

FOR SALE—ONLY $10,500, LOT 60x165, ON FREmont near Fourth st., adjoining lot is held at $20,000; owner is a non-resident, and writes me he must have money. G. W. YOUNGBLOOD, 817 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—GREATEST BARGAIN IN LARGE HIGH class lots in southwest, close in, splendid street and fine neighborhood; lots 52x135, $200 below value. PHONE 269272.

FOR SALE—INVESTORS, ATTENTION, A SPLENDID east-front lot on Figueroa st., near 54th st., worth $2500; must be sold, price $1500. Terms $700 cash. Address C, box 74, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR EXTRA values in high class building lots, close in, near Manual Arts High School, 52x135, Phone 269272.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE LOTS ON OXFORD, SERrano and Elmwood avenues, at low prices. OWNERS, 315 Oxford ave. Phone 56131. NO AGENTS.

FOR SALE—$750, $250 CASH, FINE LOT, 59TH off Hoover. Must sell. 394 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

FOR SALE—TRACTS FROM ONE ACRE UP TO 100 acres in size, in the path of the city's rapid growth, Los Angeles to Venice. We are headquarters for this district. Phone for auto or free map. HARRY H. CULVER CO., Second floor Hollingsworth Bldg. 60632 or Main 8045.

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES ON 57TH AND BUDLONG, $37,500. Terms.
I. H. PRESTON, Sole Agent,
A1109; Main 1109. 715-718 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR SALE— Industrial Property.

FOR SALE—OR LEASE—
The best located industrial site in Los Angeles. Now occupied by the Republic Iron & Steel Co. About five acres, with S. P., Salt Lake and Santa Fe switches on ground. Office building, vault, small house, barn, wagon scales, well and main building, 75x100, with heavy trussed roof for traveling cranes. Corrugated iron building, 40x60, and other small buildings. Entire grounds completely inclosed with 8-ft. fence. Location, SANTA FE AVE. AND GEORGE ST. Phones Main 7573 and 29212.

FOR SALE— Income Property.

FOR SALE—WESTLAKE FLATS, INCOME ABOUT $1500 yearly, steady with an additional increase of valuation of about 10 per cent. yearly. Price only $14,500. Place your money where you will have an income where it is absolutely safe from speculation. T. C. WILLIAMS, Broadway Realty Co., 519 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST APARTMENTS, BRANDnew, 24 rooms, on corner lot, 51x134, on Hoover st., rented for $150 per month, or 12 per cent. on investment; price $15,000; takes only $4000 cash; would take some trade. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—18 BRAND NEW FLATS AND BUNgalows, $30,000, rent $4320, unfurnished; might separate; no trade. C. H. KEGLEY, Owner, 619 Westlake.

FOR SALE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS IN The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914, are read by all sorts, classes and conditions of people everywhere, and afford persons who have things to sell excellent opportunities to exploit their wares. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

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Here are some business properties for sale which are growing in value fast:
60x150, on west side S. Main st., between Ninth and Tenth sts.
100x125, northwest corner Pico and Union sts.
50x125, 1527 W. Pico st.
50x125, W. 12th st., third lot west of Union.
48x165, 16th st., between Oxford and Western.
51x162, south side W. Washington st., between Hobart and Oxford sts.
3-story block at 641-643 N. Main st.
SEE OWNER,
C. A. HAMMEL, 640 N. Main st.
Phone Main 3725; A3689.

FOR SALE—
IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A PIECE OF BUSINESS PROPERTY PAYING SIX PER CENT. NET, LEASED FOR EIGHTEEN YEARS, WE HAVE SUCH A PIECE PAYING 6 PER CENT. ON $325,000. THE PRICE FOR WHICH IT IS OFFERED, YET THIS PROPERTY TODAY IS WORTH $400,000. IT IS LOCATED ON THE WEST SIDE OF SPRING ST. BETWEEN SIXTH AND SEVENTH. IF YOU WANT MORE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE PROPERTY PLEASE SEE US.
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
224 VAN NUYS BLDG.

FOR SALE—
NATIONAL CIRCULATION—THE MIDWINTER Number of The Times, better than ever, out January 1, 1914, presents splendid opportunities to discerning classified advertisers. Many future residents depend on the accurate information it contains and invest in the many choice properties offered in its classified advertising columns. Five cents a word. Rates for display advertising furnished on application.

FOR SALE—BIG BUSINESS LOT, 51x134, AT THE southwest corner of Figueroa and 60th sts.; across street from public school and in heavily settled district; fine investment property for confectionery, grocery and butcher business, with flats or apartments above; price reduced to $2000. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 329 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—BIG CORNER, 142 FEET ON SIXTH st., within 3 blocks of Main st.; price only $500 per front foot, including improvements; can be made into big income with little expense; don't overlook this opportunity. MR. LINK, 1004 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—515 ACRES, SAN FERNANDO VALLEY, mountain water, easily obtained; most elegant site for sanitarium; assessed for taxation in 1912 $5680; is it worth this to you? HENRY E. HIGGINS, 1908 La France ave., South Pasadena.

FOR SALE—WEST SIDE OF LOS ANGELES ST., between 10th and 11th sts., 60x150, $750 per front foot. Phone 31087, East 81. F. C. GANAHL.

FOR SALE—NORTHWEST CORNER ADAMS AND Vermont, value will double in five years, 50x130. No restrictions. Commission $500. Price $25,000. Owner, 3116 S. VERMONT. Phone West 43.

FOR SALE—S. W. CORNER 4TH AND CROCKER, 55x100 to alley, $800 per foot. Phone 31087; East 81. F. C. GANAHL.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
NEW TOWN OF
VAN NUYS.
Center of the famous San Fernando Valley.
VAN NUYS-LANKERSHIM 47,000 ACRES.
For a ranch (large or small.)
For an ideal home site.
For a safe and profitable investment.
For a business location.
For profitable poultry raising.
SEE AND BE CONVINCED THERE IS NO BETTER ANYWHERE.
FREE EXCURSION FROM HEADQUARTERS, 319 SOUTH HILL STREET. COME IN AND INQUIRE ABOUT THEM.
W. P. WHITSETT,
319 South Hill street.
Broadway 3525. F3939.

FOR SALE—
HALF ACRE LOTS
On the San Fernando Boulevard
between GLENDALE and BURBANK.
Water piped to every lot.
Climate and location unsurpassed.
One block from Electric car line.
The Price is right. $600 up. Easy terms.
Get busy on these ideal suburban homesites. Only a few to be had and they won't last long.
THE G. H. A. GOODWIN COMPANY,
302-303 Central Bldg., Sixth and Main.
F3150. Main 7839.

FOR SALE—
VAN NUYS.
For an ideal home place where you can raise your own fruits, berries, vegetables and chickens, profit by the healthful atmosphere of suburban life and at the same time enjoy the conveniences of the city, secure one of those choice, close-in one to five-acre tracts, with water, at Van Nuys. The man or woman confined in the office or store all day needs just this kind of a home place. Autos to show property from 319 S. Hill st. W. P. WHITSETT.

FOR SALE—
RAMONA ACRES.
On account of death in the family, must sell best two square acres in tract. Ideal for chicken ranch or suburban home. $800 cash. Easy payments. W. J. FARLING, 611 S. Hill st. Phone Home 10345, Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
SUBURBAN PROPERTY.
Nine acres extra fine young peach, apricot, and Satsuma plum orchard. Will bear in two years. Near P. E. car line at Van Nuys. $800 per acre, one-fourth cash. Balance on terms, or will take good first mortgage as first payment. See owner, 507 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR SALE—CERTAINLY, SOME ONE WITH $250 or more cash will want to pick up an acre for only $1000, just west of Vermont avenue, near Athens-on-the-Hill. Take six lots instead of one for $1000. Large holdings held at very much higher prices. A big little buy. Do you want to see it? Call at once. STRONG, DICKINSON & McGRATH.

FOR SALE—I HAVE AN ACRE NEAR NEW RED car line, now building; 240 feet frontage on graded street; water in, $1050; $50 down and $15 a month. See CHASE & ROTHROCK, second floor, 631 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE COVERED WITH BEARING peach trees, right in the center of Lankershim, one block to cars; $750; terms to suit. PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 South Hill st.

FOR SALE — TEN ACRES, ONE-FOURTH MILE southwest of Newmark, half way to Whittier, $900 per acre. Lands adjoining are $1000. Must sell, half cash. PHONE F3473.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE, NEAR LANKERSHIM, COVered with full bearing Royal apricots, water piped, $600; $60 cash, $10 month. PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 South Hill street.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES, NEAR LANKERSHIM, FINE soil, abundance of water, piped to the land; $1500, terms arranged to suit. PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 S Hill St.

Glendale.

FOR SALE—FOOTHILLS, GLENDALE, PERFECT home site, 3 acres, orange and grapefruit trees. BLACK & LILLY, 1106 Broadway, Glendale.

Altadena.

FOR SALE—IF YOU WANT TO BUY OR TRADE for Altadena property, write or come and see me as it is my SPECIALTY.
N. JAY GREEN,
North Lake avenue. Altadena.

HOLLYWOOD

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM, ELEGANTLY furnished bungalow, close to mountains, ½ block from car, beautiful neighborhood, terms. 6097 FRANKLIN AVE., Hollywood.

PASADENA—

FOR SALE—TWO CHOICE MODERN PROPERTIES, Lincoln avenue near Orange Grove; large lots, east front. Also 6-room modern bungalow on Wilson near Orange Grove. See HUBBARD & HALL, 505 Van Nuys Bldg. 62893.

FOR SALE— Beach Property.

FOR SALE—I BOUGHT SEVERAL LOTS AT SEAL Beach before the raise. Will sell on easy terms. Let me know what you want and I will quote price on nearest I have. Address V, box 389, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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Manhattan Beach.

FOR SALE—OCEAN VIEW SOIL LOTS, $175, $10 down, $5 month. ORRIN RICE, 220 UNION OIL BLDG.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—$82.50 ACRE, 160 ACRES AI LEVEL land in Glenn county. $4800 down, balance to suit purchaser. Would not sell but for one reason. No agents or middlemen. Particulars from W. W. HARRIS, Dinuba, Cal.

FOR SALE—640 ACRES DECOMPOSED GRANITE soil, level; no finer apple or pear land anywhere; quick sale; $10; some terms. STANDLEY & CRESTER, 512 Amer. Bank Bldg. Second and Spring. Main 2010. F7908.

FOR SALE—$17.50 AN ACRE, 1000 TO 5000 ACRES fine level alfalfa and cotton land; on railroad; water available. Address V, box 360, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

Classified Liners.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—

NORTH WHITTIER HEIGHTS.

"IS THE CREAM OF"

Orange, lemon, avocado and walnut land subdivisions.

It is located in close proximity to the celebrated Whittier district, 16 miles east of Los Angeles, and it is being sold in planted and unplanted tracts of 5 acres and up.

There are approximately 175 acres of this property which was set out to Valencia oranges, Eureka lemons and March seedless grapefruit during the spring of 1913 by the owners of the property. The trees were furnished by Pollard Bros., and are the best that money could buy. They have had the best of care since they were planted by our force of orchard experts.

Now is the time to secure one of these young planted orchards at a cheap price as the prices on these young planted groves will be raised early in the year of 1914.

Buy where experienced orange and lemon orchardists are buying and you can't go wrong. We are confident that if you once see the property you will desire a portion of it for yourself. Trips to the tract daily. Call, phone or write for descriptive folder.

EDWIN G. HART,
Manager and General Sales Agent,
Suite 917-928 Union Oil Bldg.
7th and Spring streets, Los Angeles, Cal.
Phones: 10421. Main 2606.

FOR SALE—

LOS ANGELES COUNTY
ALFALFA LAND.
LANCASTER VALLEY.
One-tenth Cash, Balance in Ten Years.

Not away off somewhere, but right here near to the great growing metropolis of Southern California. We have prime level alfalfa land at $40, $50 and $60 per acre on terms of 10 per cent. cash and 10 years to pay the balance. Investigate these 40 and 80-acre tracts where the land is absolutely free of alkali, adobe or hardpan. See the settlers now improving their holdings. Go with us there and back the same day on our daily excursions. Land adjoining ours now growing alfalfa and fruit. Water conditions unexcelled, lift but 15 to 25 feet. Now is the time to buy while prices and terms are low. Look to the future. Make your dollars do double duty. Office open evenings.

PATTON & LONGLEY COMPANY,
330 South Hill st.

FOR SALE—

SAN
FERNANDO ACRES.
10 TO 40-ACRE TRACTS.
$300 TO $500
PER ACRE.

With irrigation water. Land cleared of brush. On San Fernando Blvd., half way between Burbank and San Fernando. 14 miles from Los Angeles. Easy terms. Will accept Los Angeles equities, or clear property and a little cash as part payment. Balance six years.

W. P. REYNOLDS,
Managing Agent,
129 S. Broadway.
Ground Floor Mason Operahouse.

FOR SALE—

PLACENTIA DISTRICT.

The biggest snap offered in Orange county. Will sacrifice to close out our holdings. We have the land you want for oranges, lemons, sweet potatoes and all kinds of garden truck—and spineless cactus. This district is absolutely frostless. Only 45 minutes from Los Angeles on the Santa Fe R.R., one-fourth mile from our tract. One share of water stock with each acre. Water supplied from a fine electric pumping plant, supplying this tract with 120 inches of water. We will sell 2, 5, 10, 20, 40 acres for $150, $200 and $250 per acre on small payments down and balance on easy terms. Make arrangements to see this land. Call or phone.

FRANK REYNOLDS,
With GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO.,
217 Union Oil Bldg.
Phones Home A3411; Main 434.

FOR SALE—
WHOLESALE SYNDICATE RATES.
TO ANY LAND BUYER.
Will you join a syndicate to purchase 1200 acres of high grade Kern county alfalfa land? If you want land at the wholesale price write me. The soil is a deep loam, level, near the railroad, water for pumping at 25 feet, with absolutely no defects, such as alkali, rocks, hardpan, heavy soil, etc. Have arranged so that all syndicate members have their lands deeded to them individually and you can take from 80 acres up. If subdivided and retailed this land would bring $125 per acre, but the syndicate gets it for nearly one-half that. Easy terms. Address X, box 368, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—

5 acres at $250 an acre, 8½ miles from city limits, on one of the finest and cheapest water systems in Southern California. Good soil for deciduous fruits, walnuts and vegetables. Ideal chicken ranch, near electric car and electric-lighted boulevard. Call me up or make arrangements to see this property. I will take you out in my machine. G. W. JONES, 611 S. Hill st. Phones: Home 10845, Broadway 2469.

FOR SALE—

NO SMUDGE POTS AT YORBA LINDA

5 acres of Yorba Linda orange and lemon land in proven frostless belt near new town, water piped from largest reservoir in Southern California, deep decomposed granite soil unsurpassed for citrus fruit or vegetables. This is a snap—owner must sell. $475 an acre. Splendid terms. See GEO. W. JONES, 611 S. Hill st. Home 10845, Broadway 2469.

FOR SALE—

$2750—NEAR LOS ANGELES.
10 ACRES OF SANDY LOAM SOIL.

High elevation, on sunny southern slope, a magnificent view of mountains and lake (the lake being 6 miles long and 3 miles wide) with abundance of water for domestic and irrigation purposes. Near to railroad station and boulevard. If you want a home or an investment see this. G. H. MacGINNIS, 320 Pacific Electric Bldg., corner 6th and Main sts.

FOR SALE—

10 ACRES WITH CITY ADVANTAGES.

5½ miles from the city, near conduit of Owens River aqueduct. Water. Rich, sandy loam soil, free from alkali. Between two famous boulevards. Electric car service. This land is adapted to alfalfa, deciduous fruits of all kinds, walnuts, berries. Conditions perfect for poultry raising. Only $425 an acre, on very easy terms. Phone me, making an appointment to see this choice property. G. S. REYNOLDS, 611-613 S. Hill st. Phones Broadway 2469, Home 10845.

FOR SALE—

I can show conclusively an opportunity for the man with small capital to make good. 5 acres close to Los Angeles, steam and electric lines, fertile soil. See MR. MacWILLIAMS, 611 S. Hill st. Phone Home 10845.

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FOR SALE—
BARGAIN FOR QUICK SALE.
I have a $700 equity in 15⅝ acres of fine soil, under main ditch of Oakdale Irrigation district, located 1½ miles from Riverbank, Stanislaus county. Will take $350 cash for equity, balance under contract payable $20 per month. Would consider L. A. I. stock or a lot for equity. Address W, box 308, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — MY 2-ACRE HOME, MIAMI AVE., Baldwin Park, ¼ block from P.O., car line and boulevard. All set to trees. Plenty irrigating and domestic water; 5-room California house, barn and all fenced. Price $2300, cash $1600. H. C. WOODY, Baldwin Park, Cal.

FOR SALE—10,000 ACRES OF FINE LEVEL ALfalfa land; an abundance of water available; right on railroad; low price and easy terms; will sell all or part. See MR. WOOD, 947 Title Insurance Bldg. F1882; Main 2507.

FOR SALE—RANCH, 34 ACRES, 5-ROOM HOUSE and well, 15 miles south of Santa Ana, on State Highway; price $5000; some trade. Call S. S. BROADWAY 2279.

FOR SALE—FARMERS WITH GOOD TEAMS CAN buy 20 or 40 acres finest alfalfa, cotton, fruit land, Arizona, $10 acre cash. Balance in work. See owner, 2941 DALTON AVE.

FOR SALE—$200 TO $260 PER ACRE, BEST SOIL, for alfalfa, lemons; abundance water. J. C. CRISLER. 621 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST ALFALFA AND FRUIT land in Southern California, $20 to $35 per acre; easy terms; write owner, U. S. OLES, 511 Lissner Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

Santa Cruz.

FOR SALE—RANCHES, HOMES, ACRES. FREE list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

Antelope Valley.

FOR SALE—
ALFALFA LANDS.
Only 70 miles from Los Angeles on S. P. R. R. 40 to 640-acre tracts; $10 to $45 per acre; ten years' time, one-tenth cash. Ask for pamphlet and mention this paper.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND AGENCY,
410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—$1500, 20 ACRES SILT SOIL, WITH flowing wells, small house, adjoining Lancaster. Also 100 acres near Palmdale, $22 acre. BATERSKI, 203 Bryson Bldg.

FOR SALE—640 ACRES NEAR WILLOW SPRINGS. Will divide. R. J. BUSCH, Hatter, Broadway, corner 2nd st.

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

FOR SALE—

"BRAWLEY 20,000 IN 1920."

EXCURSION TO IMPERIAL VALLEY.

Excursions leave our office, which is Imperial Valley Headquarters, every Wednesday and Sunday. Apply for tickets now.
Special Reduced Rates
IMPERIAL VALLEY DEPT.
CALIFORNIA LAND AND WATER CO.,
422 Van Nuys Bldg., Seventh and Spring.
60619. "Center of Optimism." Main 5190.
Best & Griffin, Mgrs., Brawley, Cal.
E. E. Bennett, Mgr., El Centro, Cal.
Payne & Davis, Mgrs., Imperial, Cal.
NOTICE—We have a special bargain in land fully water-stocked, leveled, ready to seed, or improved. Priced at $45 acre up. Relinquishments, $30 acre up.

FOR SALE—320 ACRES NEAR WESTMORELAND, 160 acres in alfalfa, fenced and cross-fenced, balance nearly ready for crop. This is the very best soft soil. Price $75 per acre; will take some good trade.
160 acres near Heber in cotton and alfalfa, full water stock, $135; take some trade.
80 acres, very best soft land near Brawley, partly in crop, only $3200.
40 acres near El Centro, soft land, good stand of alfalfa, fenced and cross-fenced, $200.
40 acres near Wiest, all in crop, $4600. I have farmed in the valley 5 years. Come in and get a map.
E. A. ALLEN, 917 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—120 ACRES OF THE BEST LAND IN Imperial Valley. All under the highest state of cultivation and fully water stocked. Will sell cheap for cash, including growing crops. Address W. B. AMES, Owner, 716 Broadway Central Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE— Northern and Eastern Property.

FOR SALE— —APPLE LAND.
GRAND JUNCTION, COLO.
160 acres of 5-year-old apples and 30 acres of raw land. This land cost the owner, $46,000, but owing to financial reverses must sell and will sacrifice for cash for $27,000, terms, $5000 cash, $5000 90 days, $5000 6 months, balance easy.
See E. CLARKE COMER CO.,
1705 Cahuenga ave.
Hollywood 384. Hollywood. 579872.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR SALE—
20 ACRES FOR SALE OR TRADE.
$2500.
Located 1½ miles from Riverbank, Stanislaus county, under main ditch of Oakdale Irrigation district. Fine soil suitable for alfalfa and orchard. Will take good property in or near Los Angeles. Address W, box 317, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 15-ACRE HOME PLACE, SET TO FRUIT, VINES AND ALFALFA. IDEAL FOR POULTRY. F. A. PERRIGO, 403 EXCHANGE BLDG.

FOR SALE—
MR. ALFALFA MAN, DO YOU WANT A REAL BARGAIN IN A 40-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH? IF SO CALL MR. DIGNUM, F1962.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 40 ACRES, SOLID TO ALfalfa, Tulare county. 1½ city few days. 845 W. 49TH ST.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER CHOICE TULARE COUNTY orange and alfalfa lands; 20 to 160 acres, no trade. A. M. BALLARD, Tulare, Cal.

COACHELLA VALLEY—

FOR SALE—COACHELLA VALLEY LANDS, ONLY expert information; we work for our clients; for eight years I have handled Coachella Valley lands exclusively. Sales past two years over $500,000. Information and maps free for the asking. Have excursions on Tuesdays. Join me. J. S. WEBB & CO., 1016 Wright & Callender Bldg., Los Angeles. R. Thompson Webb, Thermal, Cal.

FOR SALE—12,000 ACRES SOUTHERN PACIFIC land for sale near Mecca, sold on 10-years time, one-tenth cash.
SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND CO.,
410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

VICTOR VALLEY LANDS—
Victor Valley, the great pear and apple land country, 100 miles from Los Angeles. See our list of snaps in Victor Valley. Fine communities, railroads, abundance of water from wells. $2.50 to $25 per acre. Call for folder. Ask about excursions. Don't fail to get list of bargains.
CALIFORNIA LAND AND WATER COMPANY,
"The Center of Optimism."
60619. 422 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 5190.

WE WANT ALL AMERICAN CITIZENS, WHO have not used their desert land right, to investigate Superior Valley; one hundred thousand acres of level, fertile land open for entry. See S. F. CARBERRY, with ALVEY INVESTMENT CO., 315½ S. Hill st.

DESERT LANDS, HOMESTEADS, DEEDED LANDS, anywhere in Southern California. Government and legal papers drawn. Government records searched. VINING & CO., 431 Chamber of Commerce.

SIX FAMILIES TO HOMESTEAD PIECE OF LAND in San Diego Co. Corn, wheat, apple country; average rainfall 40 inches; farming people only wanted. S. D. ALEXANDER, 207 Hamburger Bldg., 320 W. Eighth st.

NEW VALLEY OPEN FOR ENTRY, 100,000 ACRES of level fertile land to choose from, no alkali, no hardpan, water conditions good. A. W. REYNOLDS, expert desert land man, 615 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—GUARANTEED GOVERNMENT LAND script. Highest references, lowest prices. J. H. MASON, 258 South Main. A4007.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE—
We have just got in forty acres of the finest orange or lemon land in Kern county, absolutely sheltered from wind and frost, water piped to the land and a one-fourth interest in a $10,000 pumping plant goes with it.
We have been all over this land and know there is nothing better in the State.
PRICE $8000. Will exchange for good city property to full value.
COVERT & HUTCHINSON,
F7890. 739 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 1735.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE FOR EXCHANGE A 12-acre orange grove at Corona, trees are full grown, and were not hurt by the frost last year; will consider only good Los Angeles improved property, or will sell for $15,000 cash.
F. IRWIN HERRON CO.,
A4002. 228 I. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 247.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL 40-ACRE ORANGE grove in navels and Valencias, mostly in full bearing. Pays good income, house and barn. Price $75,000. Want eastern farm. L. H. MITCHEL & SON, 902 Title Insurance Bldg.

FOR SALE— FORCED SALE.
12 acres Valencias, on boulevard, near Los Angeles. Will sacrifice $5000 for quick sale. New house. J. L. ADDIS, 1006 Van Nuys Bldg. F1996, Broadway 1996.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE, $2650; SOUTHWEST CORner Sunset blvd. and Highland ave., Hollywood; carries $2000 mortgage, 6 per cent., can remain. Owner, 203 BRYSON BLDG. F5888.

FOR SALE—30-ACRE ORANGE GROVE, VALENcias, near Redlands, $1600 an acre; must sell quickly. Address D, box 164, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES ORANGE LAND, with water, at Highlands, value $8000. Submit offer of property or acreage in or near Los Angeles. See PARKER, Exchanges, 938 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE— Poultry Ranches.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES, $1000, $250 DOWN; BIG money in poultry and potatoes, very deep, rich easily worked, sandy loam soil; cheap water, in underground cement pipes; don't pay $1000 for one acre when you can have a real piece of land for the same money. Address V, box 561, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

HOTELS-LODGING HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—HOTEL, ROOMING-HOUSE, 56 COMpletely furnished rooms, very centrally located, corner, all outside rooms, brick building, rent $4 per room; income $600 per month; good value at $4000; our cash price for quick sale $2600. See this before buying. BURT & KILFOIL, room 615, L. A. Inv. Bldg. Main 8363.

FOR SALE—55-ROOM HOTEL, BRICK, NEAR STAtion; long lease; rent $1.70 a room; $3000 if taken before the first of January; easy terms. See owner, who is in other business. This house is full. Address D, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FINE ROOMING-HOUSE, ANGELS' Flight, $2500, close in; also brand new apartment-house, $3500; near Figueroa st.; cash or some exchange. PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—20-ROOM STRICTLY MODERN HOTEL. Exquisitely furnished. Just completed. Long lease and low rent. Walking distance. See OWNER, 419 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE — HOTEL TRANSIENT, 21 ROOMS, lease 1916, clear; fine location; rent $140. $1500 cash handles. Dissolving partnership. Apply HOTEL EVERETT, 317½ S. Main st.

FOR LEASE—HILLCREST, THIRD AND OLIVE. Completely remodeled. 54 rooms. Fine view. Close in. 10-year term. Call at building or 605 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BLDG. A4504.

WANTED—FURNITURE AND LEASE TO $1000 IN exchange for equity in new bungalow at Long Beach. Address D, box 186, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A NICELY FURNISHED 20-ROOM rooming-house, private phones, steam heat, good lease. 827 W. SEVENTH.

FOR SALE—NICELY FURNISHED 6-ROOM FLAT, mahogany and maple. Owner going away. A bargain. 815 W. 9TH. Flat V, 51446.

FOR SALE—A SNAP.
44-room hotel, rent $4 per room; only $3200; good money maker, see Landlady, 217 S. MAIN ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—FURNITURE OF 14 ROOMS with lease, and 100 chickens. Cheap for cash. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway.

HOTELS-LODGING HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

TO LET—FOR LEASE—
WE HAVE FOR LEASE 64 ROOMS, (FURNISHED) ON EAST SEVENTH STREET NEAR SAN PEDRO STREET.
WILL GIVE LONG LEASE AT VERY REASONABLE RENTAL.
S. H. A. HEINY,
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
224 VAN NUYS BLDG.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—AT DECKER'S, 452½ S. Broadway, corner 5th st.
Bargains, all sizes and prices.

28-room house on West 7th	$3200
75-room corner hotel, $1700	$1700
18-rooms transient, payments	$2800
11 rooms, 7th st., one floor	$600
34-room apartment, want bungalow	$4500
New 48-room house, want bungalow	$5000
Hotel, 125 rooms, fine corner, exchange	$12,000

DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway, cor. 5th.

WANTED—
A MULTITUDE OF BUYING READERS CAN BE reached through classified advertisements in The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

WANTED—ROOMING-HOUSE IN EXCHANGE FOR 40 acres of good land, adjoining thriving little town. L. C. WOOD. 204 Currier Bldg.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF 7 ROOMS, ROOMS all rented. Reasonable rent. Will sell reasonable. Call after Sunday. 1113½ S. OLIVE.

APARTMENT HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN, FURNITURE OF A NEW, modern 70-room apartment-house, only 8 minutes' walk from Third and Broadway. I will sell you the 10-year lease, for I have only 2 days more before I must go north. Every room is full and always full. Every month you net $350 on summer rates. If you are ready to close on this basis I will show you. Price $9000, clear, $4000 cash and terms for the balance. Don't overlook this. Phone me for appointment. MAIN 8561; 13307 or address D, box 180, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
OR
EXCHANGE.
100-room apartment-house. Lease runs 5 years. House now full. Westlake district. Rent only $650 per month. Furnishings all clear. Will take city or country property near city or will sell for cash on easy terms to the proper party. Phones F2209; MAIN 2736.

WANTED—
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FOR SALE—
A beautifully furnished, modern, new, 30-room apartment-house with ten year lease. Situated in a delightful locality. Walking distance or three car line service. Can be had for $1800; $800 cash and balance payable at $50 monthly. H. ARNOLD, 820 S. Main st. F1767; Main 2582.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE, LEASE AND FURNITURE of one of the finest and cleanest 24-room apartment-houses within 5 minutes' walk of Broadway at a sacrifice on account of going east. Must be seen to be appreciated. 423-24 MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG. Phone F2558.

FOR SALE—21-ROOM APARTMENT-HOUSE, NEW, completely furnished. Full, Wilshire district, one-half block from Westlake Park, good summer and winter. Must sell. See owner, save commission. $2250. Address VV, box 360, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND FURNITURE OF HIGH-class apartment-house, 16 apartments, best residence section, 15 minutes from Broadway. Immediate vicinity of the beautiful Westlake Park. See manager of LEIGHTON HOTEL.

FOR SALE—OR TO LEASE—30-ROOM APARTment-house just finished, sleeping porches, etc.; all conveniences. Apply at 4073 MONETA AVE. Phone 29870.

WANTED — APARTMENT-HOUSE, CLOSE IN, TO value $2000. Will exchange Pomona city property, clear for same. See PARKER, 938 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE—APARTMENT-HOUSE OF 40 ROOMS, private baths and phones, 5 minutes to Broadway, west side. Act quick. My loss is your gain. Phone OWNER, 13982, Main 5290.

FOR EXCHANGE — MY 52-ROOM APARTMENT-house, good lease, rent $3.50 per room. $4000, clear, exchange for bungalow. See my agent, DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway. Main 4177.

FOR SALE—14-ROOM TRANSIENT ON ONE FLOOR, brick, hot and cold water, bargain. See DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE— Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE — OVERLOOKING ST. JAMES Park, 75-room new apartment-house lease, furniture and equipment. Price $15,000. Manager going to Europe, will consider part cash, and Southern California land, or security on other property.
J. C. GREEN,
Main 7790. 1029 Van Nuys Bldg. A1589.

FOR EXCHANGE—YOU CAN GET IN TOUCH WITH persons who have what you want and want what you have by inserting an advertisement in The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

FOR EXCHANGE — FINE NEW APARTMENT-house, near the Bryson, 35 rooms, leased for 10 years, for $247.50 per month. Price $32,500, clear. Want residence lot, Wilshire section, some cash and balance mortgage. JEROME REYNOLDS, 716 Trust & Savings Bldg. 10727; Main 2987.

FOR EXCHANGE — $12,900, CLEAR, 16-ROOM flat building, large lot, room for another house, walking distance; want acreage or small ranch, well improved. T. F. MOORE, O. T. Johnson Bldg. Main 8768, A4498.

FOR EXCHANGE—YOUR PROPERTY QUICKLY; we do for others. Many years' reputation tells. Results assured. Ascertain.
K. LUNDEEN CO.,
Suite 200 to 224 Central Bldg. Sixth and Main sts.

FOR EXCHANGE— Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—YOU CAN GET IN TOUCH WITH persons who have what you want and want what you have by inserting an advertisement in The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

FOR EXCHANGE — BEAUTIFUL 8-ROOM RESIdence, located in southwest, near Exposition Park and Manual Arts High school; large lot, 50x220 feet; rented for $50 month. Want apple or pear land; Victorville or San Diego way. Might consider Paso Robles. Address B, box 121, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO SWELL BUNGALOWS, southwest, price $10,500; mortgage $3600; one rented for $50 per month; want country property for equity of $7000; must be improved. Address D, box 131, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 6-ROOM MODERN BUNgalow, located in Glendale, price $2750; mortgage $1000; want house in Hollywood way to $3500. POWERS INV. CO., 228 Van Nuys Bldg. Phones: A3836, Main 3148.

FOR EXCHANGE—
My beautiful home, Beverly Hills, new. Price $13,000; mortgage $2850; equity $10,150, for clear city home not over $6000, must be nicely located. Address W, box 309, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM BEAUTIFUL RESIdence and large garage, 21st and Hoover, value $8500. Mortgage $2500 at 7 per cent. Want foothill ranch for $6000 equity. See PARKER, Exchanges, 938 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVING A RANCH HOME I DO not need my bungalow, I will take anything good to $1500; balance easy payments. Owner. Address V, box 451, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—9-ROOM 2-STORY HOUSE, ALL hardwood finish, on lot 75x165, in Los Angeles; want acreage or vacant lots; price $7000. E. A. ALLEN, 917 Union Oil Bldg. 10421.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, artificial stone porch, chimney and mantel, for one acre in west or southwest. $15 W. 60TH ST. Vermont 579.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM HOUSE, LOT 120x120, POMONA, price $3000; mortgage $1500; will assume on city property, might give some cash. OWNER, 438 BYRNE BLDG. Main 4587.

FOR EXCHANGE—CHOICE, ELEVATED 8-ROOM residence, sightly surroundings, for your smaller; consider lot; no commissions. TELEPHONE 38131.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, LOT 200x300, covered with full bearing fruit trees, fine for chickens. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE — HOUSE AND LOT IN REDlands; price $2250; what have you? GEO. E. DUNDAS, Lankershim, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—RESIDENCE, 2003 CEDAR, West Alhambra. $4000. Mortgage $1500.

FOR EXCHANGE— Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—YOU CAN GET IN TOUCH WITH persons who have what you want and want what you have by inserting an advertisement in The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

FOR EXCHANGE—$4500, FINE BUSINESS CORner in Highland Park, stores on opposite corner; on double car line, $1000 mortgage at small cost; this property will give an income of $1000 per year. Want clear ranch. Address owner, 1553 N. EL MOLINO AVE., Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—N.E. CORNER OF HOOVER AND 76th st., 63x140; price $1300; charter to run car line past lot has been granted; want good trust deed. Phone OWNER, 269272.

FOR EXCHANGE—CITY LOT, NORTHWEST, FOR your Los Angeles Investment; allow above market valuation; no commissions. TELEPHONE 38131.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE THREE GOOD LOTS, high class, for L. A. Investment Co. stock or gold notes. Address W, box 316, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED, CLEAR LOTS IN good location for trust deed for $2500, amply secured. Due about one year. See OWNER, 402 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT ON CORNER VERMONT ave. at Athens for Eagle Rock or Glendale clear. Address D, box 32, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE— Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—8½ ACRES IN SAN VICENTE Blvd. section, this side of Brentwood. Will consider free and clear property that is positively worth $25,000 or over. Owner, 226 HERMAN W. HELLMAN BLDG. Phones Broadway 857; F3731.

FOR EXCHANGE— Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—5 BEAUTIFUL IMPROVED acres, ALTADENA, price $12,000; mortgage $4650. Want city or Pasadena residence. EWING & MOYER, 438 Byrne Bldg. Main 4587.

FOR EXCHANGE— Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—I WILL EXCHANGE MY equity in one acre at Ingledale, 3-room house, water piped, street work done, 4 blocks from school, 3 blocks from 2 car lines. Close to chair factory, good rich soil or will rent for equity in lot in Los Angeles. Phone Broadway 4020. 1512 S. MAIN ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE 59 SAN JOAQUIN VALley properties, mostly unimproved, 80 to 3000 acres, water-bearing, for alfalfa, fruit or general farming; all desirable for investment or development. I also have some improved ranches. Submit Southern California properties. JOHN W. THOMSON, 631 San Fernando Bldg. F3232, Main 8210.

FOR EXCHANGE—IN THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY near Bakersfield, 225 acres; 70 acres in alfalfa, balance ready to seed. Water unlimited. Price $40,000. Wanted city property, prefer income to same amount. T. C. WILLIAMS, Broadway Realty Co., 519 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
WANT APARTMENT-HOUSE TO $60,000.
Have section fine land in heart of Famous "Weed Patch," Kern county. Level, good pumping plant. The new railroad will touch the property.
GILBERT-KIRBY CO.
Main 5243. 907 Van Nuys Bldg. F2511.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR LUMBER YARD OR HARDware store. Fine alfalfa ranch near Chino. Good buildings and pumping plant, plenty of water. Full description on request. Address VI, box 283, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRE FARM IN MERCED county, 5-roomed house, fenced and cross-fenced, small orchard, windmill tank, corrals, etc. Price $12,000, clear. Want residence or vacant lots. 80 acres at Delano, close to railroad, $12,000. E. A. ALLEN, 917 Union Oil Bldg. 10421.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES ALFALFA LAND, good house, pumping plant, San Bernardino Co., two miles from town; value $6000. Want some cash and house and lot, clear. Address V, box 559, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$16,000, MORTGAGE $4000; 20 acres, improved ranch, close to the city; bank, school and electric; want a flat or any good rental property. T. F. MOORE, exclusive, 701 O. T. Johnson Bldg. Main 8768, A4498.

FOR EXCHANGE—SOUTH DAKOTA CLEAR, AND assume. 320 acres improved, $16,000. Want local or Southern California; assume.
J. C. GREEN,
Main 7790. 1029 Van Nuys Bldg. A1589.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Have 160 acres, also 80 acres, Topanga Canyon property at $40 per acre, clear, will consider house or automobile. Address W, box 310, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
WANT CITY PROPERTY.
For a ten-acre orange grove navels, close to city; house and barn; price $16,000, including a good crop. Owner, 417 VAN NUYS BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE— Eastern and Northern Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—LIVE TOWNSITE proposition, alfalfa and fruit ranch combined, on main line Santa Fe R.R., 12 miles northwest of Barstow, Cal.; center of new oil fields; needs at once store, hotel, blacksmith shop, lumber yard and livery; great opportunity for the right party. If you want a live proposition, write for particulars or, better, come and see for yourself. H. M. HENNING, Hinkley, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—COLORADO IRRIGATED 160-acre beet, potato and alfalfa ranch. Well improved, 1½ miles of beet dump. Near Julesburg. $16,000. Want Southern California of equal or less value. Address owner: W. M. SMELSER, Fallbrook, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—S. P. INCOME PROPERTY FOR Los Angeles. Sacramento Valley, 10 acres, full-bearing prune and almond orchard; excellent soil and investment. What have you? ROOM 307, American Bank Bldg., L. A.

FOR EXCHANGE—BARGAIN; BARGAIN; BARGAIN! 100 acres of fine wheat land in Douglas county, Washington at $25 per acre. Will exchange for property in Los Angeles. Inquire 1004 S. MAIN ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW, UP-TO-DATE, BUILT-IN features, strictly modern 5-room bungalow, lot 50x150; Huntington Park, $3000, for Chicago. ALLEN CROSSAN, 400 N. Hill. A3061. Main 1103.

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE CLOQUET CITY PROPerty and suburban acres to exchange for Los Angeles property or suburban acres. DR. A. E. JOHNSON, Cloquet, Minn.

FOR EXCHANGE—MY SPECIALTY IS TO EXchange eastern property for California. Submit your proposition for quick action. 423-424 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG. Phone F2558.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—IN KANSAS, 2-STORY, MODERN house, 7 rooms, large lot, wants bungalow or cottage, or lots, house is clear; price $5000; will pay cash difference or assume. This house is in Clay Center, a city of 6000 people, and the county seat of Clay county, the best county in the great Sunflower State. H. C. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—
N. B. ROGERS of CALKINS INVESTMENT CORporation, 424-5-6 Central Bldg., will exchange your property and will post a $10,000 bond that deals will be carried through and a profit made to the owner, but we handle exclusive property only.

FOR EXCHANGE—307 ACRES, GOOD WHEAT land, Adams county, Washington, leased and in crop, $25 per acre, clear. Want property in city. Will assume on income. L. W. LEIGHTON, 835 Security Bldg. Main 1652. F4246.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD CALIFORNIA PROPERTY for clear Eastern or Central States farms. Bring in your Eastern property for trade. E. I. BRYANT, Phone A2030, 504 F. P. Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF exchanges, city and country; can match any sized deal. See Mr. Wilson, with STANDLEY & CHESTER, 512-14 American Bank Bldg. Main 3010; F7008.

FOR EXCHANGE—"YOUR PROPERTY FOR SOMEthing better—with cash." Ranches for city and city for ranches. Do business quickly. THOMAS DUGAN, 708 San Fernando Bldg. A4556.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXCHANGE your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MATCH ANY TRADE, LARGE or small, in farm or city property, in any State. J. A. KING, Room 1, Lyon Bldg. Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — WE SPECIALIZE ON EXchanges for results. Leave it with PETERSON, 424 West Sixth.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

I HAVE A 10-DAY OPTION ON 5827 ACRES OF improved irrigated alfalfa land, with 2700 acres in growing and producing alfalfa, and a complete water system, in San Joaquin Valley. It is the best improved alfalfa property in the State. There is some dissension among the owners. I want some one with capital to assist me in acquiring this property for a large, profitable dairy company that will bring big results from the start. No agents. Bank references required. Address D, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

A VACANCY WILL OCCUR JANUARY 1 IN THE management of a successful HOME BUILDING COMPANY, operating in Central California, and the need arises for a man who is experienced in the line, who can invest $10,000 and assume entire management. An unusually good salary can be earned by a competent man; only those who can qualify in every particular need apply. Address box 1315, FRESNO POSTOFFICE.

NEW MONEY COMES TO SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA from purchasers of property and investors in local securities or business. Many such deals are consummated through the classified advertising columns of the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

WE HAVE SEVERAL REMINGTON AND SMITH Premier typewriters, invisible writing models, for which we have no use, having replaced them with late model machines. Will sell these for $15 each. Are in good condition. See LYLE, Times Office, First and Broadway.

WANTED — CIRCUMSTANCES COMPEL ME TO sacrifice my half-interest in established real estate concern with ground-floor office and just ready to begin on subdivision that has $25,000 commissions in sight. If you have $1000 and finest references, and will work, please address W, box 370, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—RELIABLE MEN WITH SMALL CAPITAL for State agents, new article, nothing like it on the market; highest endorsements. Personal interviews only. Call between 10 and 12, 905 GRAYCO BLDG., 752 S. Los Angeles st.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

BUSINESS FOR SALE—
A splendid investment for active or silent partner. A substantial interest can be secured by active or silent partner in one of the oldest established, best paying, highest class mercantile concerns, retail and wholesale, favorably known throughout Western Washington, with most excellent record and best clientele; investors with from $10,000 to $70,000 will be considered; may be paid in part or time; present management thoroughly capable and trustworthy, therefore investors need not take active interest unless desired. Negotiations with principals only. Address D, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — GENERAL STORE, WITH POSTOFfice in fastest-growing town in Southern California; factory pay roll of $50,000 per month; 16 miles from Los Angeles; doing $2500 per month business; only parties with capital need answer. Call Hollywood 2146 or write MRS. LOU SILVERMAN, 5446 Monticello ave., South Hollywood, Los Angeles.

WE HAVE SEVERAL REMINGTON AND SMITH Premier typewriters, invisible writing models, for which we have no use, having replaced them with late model machines. Will sell these for $15 each. Are in good condition. See LYLE, Times Office, First and Broadway.

$550—GROCERY, BEAUTIFUL FOUNTAIN, LARGE stock; rent $17; 3 rooms; best buy for price in city.
CIGARS AND CONFECTIONERY, clearing $135 monthly; owner here 3 years; $600 stock; $825; snap.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

THE WONDERFUL RESULT-GETTING POWERS OF the classified advertising of The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914, are due to the worldwide circulation of this issue of the world's biggest newspaper. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

$3000—BLACKSMITH SHOP AND GARAGE, ONE OF best locations in San Joaquin Valley, on new State highway, electric power, building 40x50, lot 100x75. Will clear $200 per month and getting better; working 3 men, well established. If you are looking for location investigate this; no agents. B. McLEAN, Tipton, Cal., Tulare county.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

WANTED—ENERGETIC, CAPABLE BUSINESS MEN as sub-agents for Santa Ana, San Bernardino, Bakersfield, San Diego, Long Beach, larger Southern California towns and territory immediately surrounding for one of the best propositions ever offered; $200 to $400 month and additional permanent income from renewed business. This is an offer of a lifetime. A small investment required, fully secured, merely as an evidence of good faith. No triflers. References required and given. For interview, see MR. DIGGNON, 628 Union Oil Bldg.

RESTAURANT BUYERS, ATTENTION — IF YOU have the cash and want one of the best established and paying restaurants in city; same owner three years.
GARAGE, repair shop (southwest:) best buy in city for price asked; stand any investigation; get busy.
See F. C. SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.

WANTED — PARTNER WITH $1500 IN RESTAUrant business, I will make changes in my place which will give us large returns for our investment. I will guarantee you more profit than you can make on any other legitimate business. I have the best location in the city. Address V, box 472, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LEASE—HIGH CLASS CAFE IN CONNECTION with first-class hotel; doing good business and capable of large extension by right party. Will lease upon very easy terms to thoroughly experienced and responsible party with a little capital. Give full particulars when replying. Address D, box 300, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—JEWELRY STORE IN FINE LOCATION in San Diego. Long lease to Sept., 1918, $15 a month covers rent, electricity and water. Repairs alone $150 to $200 a month. Sales good. Fixtures new, $600 will get this exceptional bargain. Best of reasons for selling. Will bear closest investigation. Address BOX 4, TIMES OFFICE, San Diego.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$1500; BEST-PAYING business on Broadway; suitable for gentleman or lady; no experience necessary; will pay $150 to $500 per month net; will take clear lot or good equity in lot or bungalow. See "PARKER," "Exchanges," 938 Security Bldg.

$500—CONFECTIONERY, CIGAR AND PERIODICAL store in high-class residence and business section; rent $15; nice living quarters; good lease; this store is clearing over $100 monthly; lady can handle; will guarantee invoice to exceed price asked.
TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO., 357 S. Spring.

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE AN INVESTMENT OF $500 to $1000 in a large wholesale house, paying monthly dividends? This is an excellent opportunity to establish a monthly income. This company will stand the strictest investigation. DOWELL-LAMB & CO., 206-7-8 Black Bldg.

ARCHITECT WANTS OUTSIDE MAN, CAPABLE OF securing business, one socially well connected or with wide circle of acquaintances, not necessary to know technical side of profession. Large returns for man having requisite qualifications. Address C, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

LEADING BOOK, STATIONERY AND BAZAAR BUSIness for sale in coast town of 6000. Splendid opportunity. Stock about $6000. Thorough investigation invited. Los Angeles and local references. Address H. B., box 122, TIMES OFFICE, if you mean business.

FOR SALE—LIVERY STABLE, MUST BE SOLD at once. Best location in town of 15,000; 15 rigs; 15 horses; cab, automobile, etc. Good business, best offer within 10 days gets it. IOWA STABLES, Santa Ana, Cal. 321 E. 4th st.

GOOD ESTABLISHED LAUNDRY ROUTE, WITH A No. 1 machine, all good family trade, south; clearing between $30 and $40 per week. See JOHNSON, route man, with American Laundry, 11th and Los Angeles. Between 7 and 8 a.m. or 3 and 4 p.m.

A CORNER GROCERY IN A FINE RESIDENCE district, among the hillsides, clean, new stock, soda fountain and cigar stand; low rent, four living-rooms, with long lease, $2100, or invoice. Address 135 EAST 4TH STREET, Los Angeles.

MR. DRUGGIST, A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME IS open to you at Culver City. Building is nearly completed for you to move right in. Certain inducements. Share in the profits of this rapidly-growing town. Don't phone, but come in. 202 Hollingsworth Bldg. HARRY H. CULVER CO.

FOR SALE — NICE CORNER GROCERY, 2932 Brooklyn ave., corner of Mott and Brooklyn, doing good business, cheap rent, will invoice, reason for selling owner has other business. Take Brooklyn ave. car on Spring st. This is a bargain, come see and be convinced.

$350—LUNCH ROOM, CANDY AND CIGAR STORE opposite large playground and park; rent $10; lease; can show good income for couple or two ladies; very neat and well stocked.
TITLE GUARANTEE SALES CO., 357 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—$950; FIRST-CLASS RESTAURANT AND delicatessen on a busy and growing corner; low rent; long lease; counter and tables; fine for a man and wife. Address OWNER, 142 E. 66th st. Phone South 6960.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, COFFEE, TEA AND GROcery business making $150 per month. Fine fixtures, clean stock, low rent. Price $1450. Address 1860 EAST 1ST ST.

FAMILY PICTURE THEATER — $1100; NO NEAR competition; capacity 275; long lease; rent $40; clears $55 weekly. UNITED THEATER EXCHANGE, 453½ S. Spring. (Many others, all sizes and prices.)

WELL EQUIPPED BUTCHER SHOP WITH PAYING accounts, growing community; increasing business. Located in large grocery establishment; best class of customers; suburban, city, close in; price $925. Address butcher, D, box 129, TIMES OFFICE.

IF YOU WANT TO INVEST IN THE BEST MONEY-making manufacturing business in Los Angeles see me; there is 400 per cent. profit and no competition; every large business man will buy. Address V, box 521, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, NICE CONFECTIONERY, including newsstand, cigars and tobacco. Living-room, cheap rent. Suitable for man and wife or 2 persons. Price $1250. Will make terms to right party. CALL A2964.

BEST BUYS IN NEWSPAPERS, DAILY OR WEEKly, in California, especially southern part. Job offices and used printing material. Call and see our list. THE PRINTERS' EXCHANGE, 222 Franklin st.

FOR SALE—CORNER GROCERY, DOING A BUSIness of $25 or $30 a day, all cash and no delivery. Fixtures $800, stock at invoice; fixtures and stock will amount to about $1200. Address A, box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE MUST SELL MY MODERN bungalow at Edendale, 15 minutes on car, 5c fare, lot 50x150; has small house on rear end, rents now for both $22. My price, $1800, $1200 down. See ILLINOIS REALTY CO., 218 S. Broadway.

AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY A NICE CASH BUSIness for only $400; guarantee $150 per month profits; no experience necessary. Call after 1 p.m. 452½ S. BROADWAY, room 31.

CACTUS CANDY MANUFACTURER WANTS MORE help and capital to enlarge his business. Liberal inducements. A living now and big future to live party investing now. 512 MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9th and Spring.

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Prompt service—Moderate charges.
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On city and Hollywood property, alfalfa ranches, citrus groves. CHAPPEL, 417 Lissner Bldg., 524 S. Spring.

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ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT.
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On city vacant and improved at [illegible]
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[illegible]
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For details Phone Broadway [illegible]

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WHEN YOU WANT MONEY QUICK [illegible]
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If you pay back $1.00 per week.
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Main 2270. [illegible]
ROOM 412 BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG.

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309 SECURITY BLDG. [illegible]
F9512. MAIN 4910.

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FIFTH AND SPRING STS.

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Classified Liners.

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$2.75	Carpet sweeper	$2.00
$3.50	Wash stand	$2.50
$4.50	Box mattress couch	$3.00
$5.00	Matting covered box	$3.50
$5.50	Kitchen cupboard	$4.75
$9.00	Felt mattress, roll edge	$6.75
$11.00	Easel mirror	$8.50
$16.00	Brass bed, 2-inch posts	$12.50
$21.00	China closet, bent glass ends	$16.50
$25.00	Sideboard	$18.50
$28.50	Haviland dinner set	$21.50

OVERELLS, 700-708 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION; COMPLETE FURNISHings of 5-room house, including piano and sewing machine, Thursday, Dec. 18; 9:30 a.m., 1775 ORCHID ST., one block west of Hollywood Hotel. ENGLAND, Auctioneer, 22760. South 3038.

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FOUND—ONE LIGHT BAY COLORED MULE, FORE top, mane and tail clipped. Barefooted. Has collar marks. Weight about 790 lbs. See A. F. GILMORE OIL CO., 4th and La Brea. Tel. Wilshire 855.

LOST—THURSDAY, DEC. 11, ONE GREEN REGUlation short hand note book, in business district. Return to JOHN F. CRONIN, 521 Higgins Bldg. Suitable reward.

LOST—ONE BROWN WATER SPANIEL DOG WITH collar, on Pico near Western ave., Sunday morning. Reward. R. M. WATSON, 1219 Fourth ave. 73758.

LOST—STRAYED OR STOLEN—WHITE AND TAN fox terrier, 1 year old, license number 4309, to June, 1914. Reward. A. GREENWOOD, 2819 Altura st. Phone East 3827.

LOST—WATCH CHAIN AND LOCKET, "C. T. W." engraved on back; diamond set on face; picture in locket. Return or phone 213 W. EIGHTH ST. Broadway 3338. Reward. Chester.

LOST — MONDAY AT HOLLYWOOD, BETWEEN Emmerson Apartments and Hollywood Hotel, brown fur collar. Return to 1313 W. EIGHTH ST. Reward.

LOST—GREEN ENAMEL CLOVER-LEAF PIN with diamond in center. Liberal reward. C. P. H. 106½ S. Broadway. Phone A2175 or Main 6905.

LOST—LIBERAL REWARD, NO QUESTIONS ASKED, FOR RETURN OF JEWEL CASE. SEE LARGE NOTICE IN PERSONAL COLUMNS FOR PARTICULARS.

LOST—GOLD WATCH, HUNTING CASE, INSCRIPtion inside; valued as keepsake. PHONE 73880. Reward.

LOST—BLACK FEATHER BOA SATURDAY NIGHT. Notify Owner, F1556 or MAIN 6011. Reward.

LOST—MALE COLLIE, BROWN AND WHITE, LIcense No. 8088. Reward. PHONE EAST 2934.

MASSAGE—And Other Baths.

THE ELECTRIC SANITARIUM, ATTENDANTS BOTH sexes; shower and needle spray baths, salt glow, alcoholic, quinine, vapor, electric and reclining bath, chiropody, manicuring, scalp and facial massage. MRS. M. HERBERT, 222½ W. First st.

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MISS SHAW, GRADUATE NURSE AND MASSEUSE, London, England. Gives massage and other physical therapeutics in the well-equipped institute, 107 W. PICO ST. Male and female operators. Phone 24878; Main 1821, 10 to 6.

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A MULTITUDE OF BUYING READERS CAN BE reached through classified advertisements in The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, COMPLETE GARAGE outfit, consisting of one 10x16 Springfield lathe, drill press, two electric A. C. motors, electric grinder, belting, pulleys and shafting, forges, vises and all kinds of small shop tools. Call and make offer. 1040 S. OLIVE ST.

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Legal Notice.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF DIRECTORS FOR THE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR. LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at the general offices of the company in the Los Angeles Investment Company's Building, situate upon the northeast corner of Eighth and Broadway, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of electing seven (7) directors, to serve and constitute the Board of Directors for and during the ensuing fiscal year; and also for the purpose of transacting any and all other business that may properly come before said meeting. The transfer books will be closed on Wednesday, the 31st day of December, 1913, at five o'clock P. M., and will reopen at ten o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 12th day of January, 1914.

H. V. DAVIS, Secretary.

By order of the Board of Directors.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Edward L. Mackall and Nellie E. Mackall, vs., Herbert A. Jacobs.

Court of Common Pleas, County of Hartford, December 9th, 1913.

ORDER OF NOTICE.

Upon the foregoing complaint of said Edward L. Mackall and Nellie E. Mackall, claiming a foreclosure of three certain mortgages, dated respectively March 27, 1902, October 18, 1905 and April 17, 1908, upon the premises at Number 9 Capitol Avenue Extension, otherwise known as 1012 Capitol Avenue, Hartford Connecticut, brought to the Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Hartford, in and for the County of Hartford, on the first Tuesday of January, 1914, it appearing to and being found by the subscribing authority that the defendant Herbert A. Jacobs is absent from the state and his residence unknown, but that his last known address was "1205 5th Pico Height," in the city of Los Angeles, in the State of California, it is

ORDERED that notice of the pendency of said complaint be given by depositing attested copies of the foregoing complaint, citation and order of notice in the post-office at Hartford Connecticut, post-paid and registered, addressed to said defendant, Herbert A. Jacobs, 1205 5th Pico Height, and to Herbert A. Jacobs, care of General Delivery, Los Angeles, California, on or before the 24th day of December, 1913; and that further notice of the pendency of said complaint be given by publishing a copy of this order once in the Los Angeles Times, a newspaper published and having a circulation in said Los Angeles, on or before the 24th day of December, 1913.

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut, this 9th day of December, A.D., 1913.

EDWARD L. SMITH, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas.

A true copy. Attest: Charles H. Latham, Deputy Sheriff of Hartford County.

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FINANCIAL BACKING FOR LEGITIMATE MINING, oil, development and building operations, and for other business propositions, can be obtained at small cost through a classified advertisement in the widely circulated and extensively read Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1, 1914. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

JAS. IRVING & CO., GOLD REFINERS AND ASsayers. Cash for bullion and ores. Mines examined. 107 N. SPRING ST. Phone A2871.

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ACME ASSAY OFFICE, 108 N. SPRING. GOLD, 75c; gold, silver, $1, and copper, $1.25, and lead, $1.50.

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TYPEWRITER BARGAINS. To get established in our NEW LOCATION, 654 S. BROADWAY, we are offering typewriters lower than any store in the city. Every machine is GUARANTEED for one year, FREE OF CHARGE. We have a complete stock of Underwoods, Remingtons, Smith Premiers, Olivers, L. C. Smiths, in fact, every known make. TYPEWRITERS RENTED. 3 MONTHS ONLY $5. Southern California Agents CORONA "STANDARD FOLDING." Remember our new address, 654 S. Broadway, opposite BULLOCK'S. F5686. UNION TYPEWRITER CO. F5686.

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1 Parlor Organ	$15.00
1 Parlor Organ	20.00
1 Square Piano	35.00
Harvard, Upright, good condition	98.00
J. & C. Fischer (genuine) mahogany case	115.00
Chickering, Upright (genuine)	128.00
Irving, Upright, oak	132.00
Burmeister, good as new	147.00
Bush & Gerts, oak case	190.00
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FOR SALE — FINE 1913 PLAYER-PIANO, MAhogany case, fully guaranteed, 20 rolls of music, and exchange, $315. EILER'S, 344 S. Broadway.

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FOR SALE—MY BEAUTIFUL A. B. CHASE BABY grand, almost new; also cabinet grand piano for $175; can arrange terms. 215 W. 9TH ST.

FOR SALE—EDISON TRIUMPH GRAPHOPHONE, cabinet, horn and about 80 records; practically new; cost $150; price $80 cash. 285½ N. GRAND.

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FOR SALE—SWEET LOUD-TONED VIOLIN, CHEAP. Phone VERMONT 514.

FOR SALE—PIANO FOR $100, IMMEDIATE SALE. 610 W. 6TH ST.

FOR SALE—KRANICH & BACH UPRIGHT, MAhogany case, $265.

Pernicious.

COUNCIL BURIES SOCIALIST LAW.

Attempt to Unionize Public Contract Work Fails.

Finance Committee May Report on It in Six Months.

Work of Equalizing Salaries Well Under Way.

The ordinance of the labor unionites demanding that the city recognize the unions and walking delegates by forcing the union scale of wages upon public contractors was buried in the Finance Committee of the City Council yesterday with a suggestion that it be taken up at the next budget-making time.

Councilman Wheeler spoke in defense of his ordinance—not in support of it—for he answered attacks that already have been made, but didn't go to the heart of the question by admitting that the proposed ordinance was not presented by the unionites in the interest of city employees, but in the interest of the unions and the walking delegates who want to unionize all of the public contract work. The notorious "Curly" Grow of Central Labor Council demanded that action be taken at once.

That the ordinance, if placed in operation, would remove from competition on public work one of the largest elements of cost—that of labor—was contended by nearly all the Councilmen, and they do not wish to see this condition brought about. The ordinance would place the city in the attitude of dictating to a contractor what he shall pay for his labor, and this element having then been removed from the competitive features of bidding, the city no doubt would get the worst of the deal.

REAL REASON REVEALED.

Although The Times detected the real reason for the proposed ordinance as soon as Councilman Wheeler exposed it to view, the underlying motive was not discovered at the City Hall until yesterday when it was found that skilled laborers in the city employ are getting as much pay as is provided in the ordinance and in many instances more, so that the ordinance was clearly shown not to be in the interest of city employees at all, as the Socialists back of it would have the people believe.

The workmen of the classes enumerated employed by the city are only a small portion of the workmen to be affected by the proposed ordinance.

BURIED IN COMMITTEE.

Councilman Langdon moved that the ordinance be sent to the Budget Committee, but when it was seen that it did not affect the salaries of city employees, as they are already standardized, the Council consented that it be referred to the Finance Committee with instructions to take it up in the next six months or so.

The Efficiency Commission is now engaged in a work of equalizing the salaries of all city employees and to standardize the pay of clerical labor as well as all other. There are a number of salary ordinances in effect, touching different departments of the city government, and it is proposed to harmonize all of them and continue in effect the present high wage established by ordinance. It is a singular fact that in the endeavor of the unionites to put across an ordinance forcing recognition of the unions and their walking delegates no voice has been raised in favor of the ordinance by any of the skilled workmen employed by the city.

Yesterday representatives of 185 teamsters asked the Supply Committee for an increase of 50 cents a day. The teamsters with teams are now paid $4.50. There are 185 in the city employ. The matter was later taken up with the Finance Committee by Chairman Conwell of the Supply Committee, but no increase was authorized, for the reason that the budget did not provide for the rise, which would mean nearly $100 a day.

EGG HEARING POSTPONED.

At the last moment, Madame Hen was deprived yesterday of her long-awaited opportunity to tell all she knows of the railroads' part in the skyrocketing of the price of eggs. It was due to a telegraphic postponement by the State Railroad Commission of the hearing of the complaint of the Klein-Simpson Fruit Company versus the Santa Fe Railway, alleging that the refrigeration charge on eggs in transit from Petaluma to this city is excessive and unreasonable. The hearing was set for 10 o'clock and the postponement resulted in the disappointment of a large number of persons.

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LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

Only Half Enough.

The Church Federation, Wright & Callender building, is still urgently calling in its anti-prize fight petitions—the signed ones. Up to last night only 28,000 of the necessary 50,000 signatures had reached headquarters.

One of Los Angeles' Needs.

At the Jovian Electrical League of Southern California, meeting tomorrow noon at Christopher's, Volney S. Beardsley will tell about "One of Los Angeles' Greatest Needs," and Edna Zyl Modie will whistle.

Not Found Yet.

Henry Johnson, an Arizona mining man, called at the Sheriff's office yesterday to ask for additional activity in locating the person who supposedly struck his 15-year-old son. The boy is unconscious in the Angelus Hospital, and little progress has been made toward fixing the blame on anyone.

Chamber of Commerce Smoker.

Motion pictures will feature the smoker to be given this evening by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce to new members. Scenes at the aqueduct opening and at the Tournament of Roses will be shown, as well as views in the citrus orchards and vineyards of Southern California.

What Became of Him?

Augustus G. Trautwein, a reputed wealthy farmer, is sought by the police and private detectives. He disappeared October 21, carrying a liberal supply of money. Since then nothing has been heard from him. He was living with Rev. R. A. McKibben, No. 140 West Thirty-eighth street.

More Than It Needs.

An offer was made through a local real estate concern yesterday to sell to the county the lots to the south of the Hall of Records on North Broadway and Franklin streets. Supervisor Butler quickly disposed of the offer by stating that the county already has more land than it can use for many years to come. The other members agreed with him.

Forefathers' Day.

In addition to the literary programme arranged for Forefathers' Day banquet at Hamburger's on Friday evening, Charles S. Lamb will sing "The Pilgrim Fathers," and James A. Foshay will sing "California." Those who wish to attend the banquet should signify their intention to do so by notifying Miss Helen Holmes, No. 528 Mason building, by Wednesday, next.

Will Talk of Railroads.

In the olden days when the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe were building, Charles F. Pearce was the contractor for long sections of their grading work. He will tell some of his experiences as "a railroad contractor in the West" at the monthly meeting of the Los Angeles Traffic Association Friday evening at the Bankers' Club. A programme of music also will be given.

Boy Bandit Alive.

Showing remarkable vitality, Harry O'Hara, the boy bandit, is still alive at the County Hospital and may recover. His condition showed marked improvement earlier in the day yesterday, but a slight relapse occurred in the evening. The surgeons believe he will recover. Not a friend has inquired after his welfare, nor attempted to visit him. He says he has no friends.

Would Incorporate Beverly Hills.

A number of residents of Beverly Hills filed a petition with the Board of Supervisors yesterday to have the place incorporated as a city of the sixth class. Attorney Haskins, who represented the petitioners, said that a canvass of the residences showed about 600 in the district that wishes to be incorporated. The Supervisors deferred action for two weeks until the County Surveyor can check up the confines of the proposed new city.

Chocolate Thief.

Two 100-pound cans of baking chocolate were loot for a burglar at No. 498 Alameda street yesterday. He drove a truck to the rear of the M. M. Cooke Mercantile Company's place of business and loaded the cans of chocolate into his vehicle. Then he whipped his horses and raced away. His actions were noticed and the alarm given, but the man disappeared into the heavy traffic of the district.

Carelessness Causes Blaze.

An incipient blaze broke out in the office of the United States Marshal yesterday, caused by someone dropping a lighted match or cigarette in a waste basket. The feature of the quick run for the assistance of the water system in the Federal building was the heroic action of Will Griswold of the Marshal's force, who, at the risk of his life, got the first water on the blaze. The damage was slight.

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Ribbon Pin Holders	35c
Coat Hangers	50c
Thermometers	75c
Celluloid Animal Toys	35c up
Leather Leading Straps	50c
Cashmere Hood-shawls	$2.00
Wool Leggins	35c
Shoes	50c up
Silk Crochet Caps	$1.50
Crochet Sacques	25c up
Bootees—3 prs	50c
Quilted Bibs	5c up
Fancy Bibs	35c up
Silk Caps	50c up
Record Books	50c up

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The magnificently illustrated Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1, 1914, is carefully and studiously read by persons in every State in the Union, and it affords classified advertisers splendid opportunities to exploit everything that can be bought, sold or exchanged. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1913. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

The man who gets a sweater, house coat, bath robe or lounging robe is sure to be a well-pleased man this Christmas. All these and many other gifts for men are ready in profusion at Harris & Frank. Lady shoppers will find expert, courteous salesmen to assist them here.

Everybody sends home floral greeting booklets from California, 25 and 50 cents. Dept. and Book Stores. Suntan Lea. Co. Pub., No. 818 South Broadway.

Locomotor ataxia. Free clinic Mondays and Wednesdays, 2-4. Dr. Herman Silverman, 413-415 Lissner bldg., physician in charge.

The Times Branch Office, No. 619 South Spring street. Advertisements and subscriptions taken.

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AUCTION

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 15.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.98; at 5 p.m., 29.96. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 66 per cent.; 5 p.m., 50 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 7 miles. Highest temperature, 70 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Rainfall for season, 3.32 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The barometric pressure increased during the past twenty-four hours. The centers of depression are located over Washington and Idaho and Illinois. The barometer is comparatively low in the far northern and extreme southwestern portions of the United States. Freezing temperatures are common to all portions of the country, except the extreme southern and western districts. Frost occurred along the California coast. The distribution of pressure on the Pacific slope indicates a resumption of the fair and dry weather of last week, with cool mornings and nights and moderately high day temperatures. The weather in Los Angeles and vicinity during the ensuing thirty-six hours will be fair, with light frost in exposed places Tuesday morning.

WIND AND WEATHER.—Los Angeles Harbor: Observations taken at 7 a.m. yesterday at outer harbor. Weather, clear. Wind, north; velocity, 5 miles per hour; maximum since Sunday, 28 miles per hour, from the southwest.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; light frost in exposed places in the morning.

For California south of the Tehachapi: Fair Tuesday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity and Sacramento Valley: Fair Tuesday; light north wind.

Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Tuesday; light northwest wind.

Southern California: Fair Tuesday; light west wind.

Arizona: Cloudy Tuesday; Wednesday, fair.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 16.15 feet.

WHERE TO GO AND WHAT TO SEE
TODAY AND TONIGHT.

THEATERS.

Alhambra—Pictures	Noon to 10:30 p.m.
Arrow—Pictures	Continuous
Burbank—"Little Miss Brown"	8:15 p.m.
Century	7:45 and 9:15 p.m.
Clune's—Pictures	Continuous
Empress—Vaudeville	2:15, 7:30 and 9:00 p.m.
Hippodrome	2:15, 6:30 and 8:45 p.m.
Majestic—"Little Women"	8:15 p.m.
Mason—"Stop Thief"	8:15 p.m.
Miller's Theater—Pictures	Continuous
Mozart—Pictures	1 to 5, 7 to 11:00 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville	2:00 and 8:00 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville	2:30, 7:10 and 9:00 p.m.
Republic—Vaudeville	3:30, 7:15 and 9:00 p.m.
Tally's Broadway—Pictures	Continuous
Woodley—Pictures	Continuous

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

AKERLY—ROPER. Frank J. Akerly, 49; Martha J. Roper, 37.
BROWN—BUGGLIN. Emil Brown, 37; Louisa Bugglin, 35.
HYATT—THOMPSON. Thomas B. Hyatt, 27; Mabel M. Thompson, 17.
JONES—WRIGHT. Bert Jones, 41; Minnie Wright, 42.
MARCELLIN — CORREARD. Simon Marcellin, 23; Madeline Correard, 21.
McCLURE—NEWTON. Thomas E. McClure, 27; Georgia B. Newton, 24.
McCRAY—DELL. Melvin H. McCray, 32; Louise M. Dell, 32.
PHELPS—JONES. George A. Phelps, 29; Daisy J. Jones, 20.
POPIK—WELDON. Mike Popik, 25; Delia Weldon, 22.
SCHEUNGRAB—JONES. Louis Scheungrab, 23; Clara S. Jones, 23.
SCOTT—PATTISON. Samuel W. Scott, 27; Louis A. Pattison, 22.
SMITH — SMITH. Oliver Smith, 40; Florence A. Smith, 30.
SOWERBY—NEFF. Theodore Sowerby, 32; Ora E. Neff, 22.
TOLAND—COTTERILL. Earnest Toland, 41; Lizzie L. Cotterill, 35.
TORREZ—CHACON. Refugio Torrez, 29; Nellie Chacon, 21.
WILLIAMSON—MATTHEWS. Benjamin F. Williamson, 21; Flora S. Matthews, 23.
WILLINGHAM—BABBITT. Harry Willingham, 40; Pearle E. Babbitt, 29.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

AUSTIN. Mr. and Mrs. Albert. Boy. California Hospital. December 7.
BARTHOLOMEW. Mr. and Mrs. Servin. Boy. 1420 East Twenty-first street. December 10.
BENNICE. Mr. and Mrs. Vito. Daughter. 2507 Arroyo Seco avenue. December 11.
BREWER. Mr. and Mrs. Addison P. Boy. 1637 Sierra Bonita street. December 13.
BROOKS. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon H. Daughter. 5061 South Flower street. December 11.
BROWN. Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Daughter. 2119 Enterprise street. December 13.
CARD. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Daughter. 724 East Fiftieth street. December 9.
CRAIN. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Daughter. 2934 East Second street. December 8.
CURRY. Mr. and Mrs. Robert. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital. December 11.
FERRY. Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Boy. 1633 North Hobart boulevard. December 3.
ISSOGLIO. Mr. and Mrs. Louis. Boy. 2739 Manitou street. December 13.
LEWIS. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Boy. 4421 Homer avenue. December 10.
McCUSKER. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick. Boy. 1931 Mozart street. December 10.
MEINERD. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer. Daughter. 1435 Newton street. December 3.
MENNIER. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Daughter. 143 West Sixty-third street. December 11.
META. Mr. and Mrs. Paul. Boy. 554 Crocker street. December 14.
MORGAN. Mr. and Mrs. Octavius. Boy. 834 Westlake avenue. December 12.
ORR. Mr. and Mrs. James R. Boy. 1906 Merrill avenue. December 11.
PARAMORE. Mr. and Mrs. Herd F. Boy. 3722 South Main street. December 2.
PASSMORE. Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Boy. 909 West Fifty-eighth street. December 12.
PEARCE. Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Boy. 1025 Shatto street. December 12.
PEAT. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Boy. Angelus Hospital. December 11.
RICHARDS. Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital. December 11.
SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. Archibald C. Daughter. 2542 Ocean View street. December 14.
THOMAS. Mr. and Mrs. Mason W. Daughter. 1407 East Eighteenth street. December 9.
TOMANELLI. Mr. and Mrs. Baptista. Daughter. 2531 Damon street. December 6.
TRACY. Mr. and Mrs. John. Boy. County Hospital. December 14.
WINSWORTH. Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Boy. 2744½ Lanfranco street. December 13.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BRODIE. Julia A. against Loewick.
LAND. Nora P. against Alfred F.
O'SHEA. Clara against Robert.
RYAN. Isabelle C. against William E.
WAITE. Julia A. against John H.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BERMUDY. Artura from Aurela.
THOMPSON. Louise M. from Willard R.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
CARVER, Lena L. Los Angeles	48	14
DENIRO, Clorinda. Los Angeles	47	13
DIFRUNDA, Carmela. Los Angeles	55	15
FROST, Joe H. Los Angeles	28	13
GALLOWAY, Mrs. Lydia. Los Angeles	88	14
GRAY, Harry. Los Angeles	38	14
LUNDHOLM, Nellie. Los Angeles	47	13
MATTESON, Homer E. Los Angeles	55	12
McFARLAND, Julia M. Los Angeles	34	13
McKINNEY, Alfred E. Los Angeles	35	13
NATHAN, Herman. Los Angeles	28	14
OSTROF, Sam. Los Angeles	74	14
PALEY, Ada. Los Angeles	74	13
PALMER, Warren O. Los Angeles	2	13
PENN, Julia. Los Angeles	50	15
TAGGART, Nellie W. Los Angeles	58	14
TINKLEPAUGH, Amelia. Los Angeles	70	13
TOWNE, Nathan. Los Angeles	54	13
VILLA, Frank. Los Angeles	35	14
WAINWRIGHT, John R. Los Angeles	42	12
YBARRO, Angel. Los Angeles	15	13

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DEATHS.
With Funeral Announcements.

BLANCHARD. At No. [illegible] dall Blanchard, a native of [illegible]. Funeral services will be held at [illegible] Booth & Boylson Co., No. [illegible] street, Wednesday, December [illegible] a.m. Interment private.

BUHLINGER. In this city, Ella Buhlinger, wife of John Buhlinger, native of [illegible], 57 years. Funeral services will take place from the chapel of Godeau & Martinoni, [illegible] at 2 p.m. today. Interment [illegible] Cemetery, by car. [illegible]

COLWELL. At Baldwin Park, [illegible] Mary A., wife of W. G. Colwell and [illegible] Mrs. M. H. Parker, mother of Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Eva Anderson and [illegible] of Drs. James E. and J. Tyler Parker [illegible] dena and H. V. Parker of Whittier. Funeral at the Lake Avenue Methodist [illegible] Pasadena, Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

CONCANNON. At Monrovia, Cal., [illegible] liam P., beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Concannon and brother of John, [illegible] and George Concannon, aged 21 years. Funeral today at 1:30 p.m. from [illegible] Cunningham & O'Connor, [illegible] cent's Church at 2 p.m. Interment [illegible] Cemetery, via automobile.

DE BERRY. December 14, 1913, August [illegible] aged 78 years. Funeral services at Hollywood [illegible] day, 2 p.m., conducted by South [illegible] No. 320, F. & A. M. [illegible] directors.

FRESSE. At the home of his son, [illegible] Fifth street, Glendale, Cal., December [illegible] A. Fresse, aged 91 years, a native of [illegible]. Funeral services will be held from [illegible] residence Wednesday, December [illegible]. Interment, Redlands, Cal.

GABBERT. At No. 720 South [illegible] Mrs. Louisa A. Gabbert. Remains at funeral parlors of W. A. [illegible] Notice of funeral later.

GEORGE. In this city, Anna George. Remains at Bresee's funeral parlors [illegible] services at Rosedale Cemetery [illegible] p.m.

HAWES. At No. 4137 [illegible] 14, Mrs. Ida May Hawes, aged [illegible] ceased leaves a husband, three [illegible] one son to mourn her loss. Funeral today at 10 a.m. from the parlors of W. A. Brown, No. [illegible] ma street. Please omit flowers.

HESSER. At No. 2265 San Pasqual street, [illegible] December 13, 7:30 p.m., W. J. Hesser. Funeral Wednesday, December [illegible] from Turnbull & Kemp's undertaking [illegible] No. 317 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena.

HUTCHINGS. In this city, December [illegible] William A. Hutchings of the United [illegible] Saving Service, aged 68 years, beloved [illegible] of Belle Margaret Hutchings. Funeral services will be held from the [illegible] of Connell Co., No. 1051 South [illegible] Tuesday, December 16, at 2 p.m. [illegible] vited. Interment, Hollywood Cemetery.

JOHNSON. December 15, Mary Johnson, [illegible] years. Remains at the chapel of J. E. [illegible] 1430 South Main.

LA DU. At No. 1816 Carroll avenue, J. [illegible] Funeral notice later.

McFARLAND. Los Angeles, December [illegible] Julia May, wife of J. E. McFarland [illegible] 2108½ East Third street. Remains at Bresee Brothers. [illegible] Mary's Church, Fourth and [illegible] Tuesday, December 16, at 9 a.m. [illegible] Calvary Cemetery.

POST. At South Pasadena, December [illegible] Post, aged 75 years. Funeral from the chapel of [illegible] December 16 at 2 p.m.

SCHALLMO. December 15, at No. [illegible] street, Stephen Schallmo, beloved [illegible] Magdalena and father of William [illegible] T. Schallmo. Funeral Thursday, December 18, [illegible] from parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor [illegible] quiem mass at St. Vincent's Church [illegible] Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

SCOTT. At Darlington, Eng., December [illegible] Mary Scott, aged 73 years, [illegible] Scott. Solemn requiem high mass will be [illegible] the repose of her soul at St. Vincent's [illegible] Wednesday, the 17th of December, at [illegible]

SHULTZ. In this city, Elizabeth L. [illegible] Funeral from Bresee's funeral parlors [illegible] 2 p.m.

SIM. In this city, December 15, Alexander [illegible] 81 years, brother of the late William [illegible] native of Scotland. Funeral from the chapel of W. A. [illegible] 842 South Figueroa street, at 2 p.m. [illegible] terment, Inglewood Park Cemetery, [illegible] flowers.

TAGGART. In this city, December [illegible] Taggart, aged 58 years. Funeral from the chapel of [illegible] December 16 at 3 p.m.

TOWNE. In this city, December 13, Nathan [illegible] aged 54 years. Funeral from the chapel of [illegible] December 16 at 10 a.m.

WOLFSKILL. At family residence, [illegible] Terrace, Pasadena, Cal., December [illegible] John Wolfskill, a native of [illegible] Missouri, aged 77 years [illegible] Funeral services will be held at [illegible] Pro-Cathedral, No. 522 South Olive [illegible] Angeles, Tuesday, at 10 o'clock a.m. [illegible] cisco, Sacramento and San Diego papers [illegible] copy.)

FUNERAL NOTICE.

South Gate Lodge, No. 320, F. & A. M., will convene at Thirty-third [illegible] Tuesday, December 16, at 1 [illegible] the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, August [illegible] By order of W.M. F. R. [illegible]

FUNERAL NOTICE.
ATTENTION, PIONEERS.

John Wolfskill died December 14, 1913, [illegible] years. Funeral from St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, 522 South Olive street, Tuesday, December 16, at 10 o'clock a.m. Pioneers requested to [illegible] JOSEPH MESMER, President. Attest: AUGUST WACKENREUTER, Secretary.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

The newly elected officers of [illegible] California Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will be duly installed Wednesday, December 17, 1913, 7:30 p.m., at [illegible] Most Worshipful Past Grand Master [illegible] R. Weller will act as installing officer, assisted by Past Grand Master Edward [illegible]. This will be a most interesting and [illegible] mony and all members should be [illegible] Masons welcome. Refreshments, [illegible] assured. JAMES G. [illegible] WARREN H. BOWLEY, Secretary.

Setback.

TWO ATTORNEYS HELD FOR TRIAL

DEMURRERS OF M'KEEVER AND STEVENS OVERRULED.

Judge Wellborn Says that Practices Such as Those Lawyers are Accused of Are Scandalous and that Anyone Employing Them Ought to Be Disbarred.

Legal ethics was the issue [illegible] in the argument of the demurrers [illegible] the indictments returned by the Federal grand jury against C. S. McKeever and W. H. Stevens, the attorneys charged with misuse of the mails in sending alleged blackmailing letters [illegible] W. H. Evans of Monrovia and [illegible] MacBratney of El Centro. The demurrers were overruled. The case will be set for trial during the January term of court.

The letters apparently [illegible] proposed action by Mrs. [illegible] Lacey and Mrs. P. S. Barber [illegible] Evans and MacBratney for [illegible] for the alleged seduction of [illegible] daughters. Attorney Ingle Carpenter, representing the defendants, [illegible] that if it was criminal for an attorney to write prospective defendants [illegible] forming them that an action [illegible] character was proposed to be [illegible] against them and offering [illegible] opportunity to settle the matter [illegible] out the publication of a court [illegible] ceeding, even if the charges [illegible] subject the expected defendants [illegible] public disgrace and ridicule, [illegible] the sources of income by [illegible] in the city of Los Angeles [illegible] destroyed. He claimed that the [illegible] sent to Evans and MacBratney [illegible] proper and justified under the [illegible] stances.

Judge Wellborn declared that [illegible] lawyer who would write a letter [illegible] party the object of which was to [illegible] pel him to pay money rather [illegible] face a public trial is a scoundrel [illegible] ought to be driven out of the [illegible] sion. He said he believed the [illegible] fendants had formed a conspiracy [illegible] extort money and held the [illegible] good.

DEATHS.

...Notice Funeral Announcements.

BLANCHARD. At No. 1006 Reid street, Joseph Sanford Blanchard, a native of Ohio, aged 57 years. Funeral services will be held at chapel of South & Norton Co., No. 1147 South Flower street, Wednesday, December 17, 1913, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

SCHLESINGER. In this city, Ella Schlesinger, beloved wife of John Schlesinger, native of Michigan, aged 50 years. Funeral services will take place in the chapel of Gideon & Martinet, No. 327 South Hope street, at 2 p.m. today. Interment, Hollywood Cemetery, by car. (St. Paul, Minn., papers please copy.)

CHILDS. At Baldwin Park, December 14, 1913, Mary A., wife of W. G. Childs and daughter of Mrs. M. H. Parker, mother of Mrs. W. F. Ford, Mrs. Eva Anderson, and Junior Blair, and of Mrs. James H. Lee and Walter Parker of Indiana and H. V. Parker of Whittier. Funeral at the Lake Avenue Methodist Church, Pasadena, Tuesday, at 2 o'clock.

CHICARONE. At Monrovia, Cal., December 13, 1913, Ben F., beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Silvio Chicarone and brother of John, Ruth, Silvio and Celeste Chicarone, aged 23 years. Funeral today at 1:30 p.m. from parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor. Services at St. Paul's Church at 2 p.m. Interment, Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

DE BERRY. December 14, 1913, Angus I. de Berry, aged 78 years. Funeral services at Hollywood Cemetery Sunday, 2 p.m., conducted by South Gate Lodge No. 338, F. & A. M. Gates & Owen, funeral directors.

FRENCH. At the home of his son, No. 202 North Fifth street, Glendale, Cal., December 13, 1913, Alexander A. French, aged 91 years, a native of Maine. Funeral services will be held from the residence Wednesday, December 17, at 10 a.m. Interment, Redlands, Cal.

GARDNER. At No. 720 South Hoover, December 15, 1913, Mrs. Louisa A. Gardner. Remains at funeral parlors of W. A. Smith, Rolfe of Funeral Info.

GEORGE. In this city, Anna George. Remains at Boyd's Funeral Parlors. Funeral services at Rosedale Cemetery today at 12 p.m.

HAWES. At No. 4157 Bonita avenue, December 14, 1913, Ida May Hawes, aged 55 years. Deceased leaves a husband, three daughters and one son to mourn her loss. Funeral today at 10 a.m. from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, No. 1947 South Flower street. Please omit flowers.

HERRIN. At No. 2205 San Pascual street, Pasadena, December 13, 7:30 p.m., W. J. Herrin. Funeral Wednesday, December 17, at 2 p.m. from Burnham & Kemp's undertaking parlors, No. 317 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena.

HUTCHINGS. In this city, December 14, 1913, Sir William A. Hutchings of the United States Life Saving Service, aged 68 years, beloved father of Belle Margaret Hutchings. Funeral services will be held from the parlors of Coastal Co., No. 1051 South Grand avenue, Thursday, December 18, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment, Hollywood Cemetery.

JOHNSON. December 15, Mary Johnson, aged 9 years. Remains at the chapel of J. H. Nichols, 1409 South Main.

LA DU. At No. 1316 Carroll avenue, J. T. La Du, aged 72 years. Funeral notice later.

MCFARLAND. Los Angeles, December 13, 1913, Della May, wife of J. E. McFarland, at 2016½ East Third street. Remains at Brown Brothers. Funeral at Mary's Church, Fourth and Citrus avenue, Tuesday, December 16, at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

PUNT. At South Pasadena, December 14, Clara I. Punt, aged 75 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. 4th December 16 at 2 p.m.

SUTHERLAND. December 15, at No. 3009 Sixth Avenue, Oakland, Stephen Sutherland, beloved husband of Magdalene and father of William S. and Maud W. Sutherland. Funeral Thursday, December 18, at 2:30 p.m. from parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, 2 o'clock sharp at St. Vincent's Church at 3 o'clock. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

SWIFT. At Dorfilinos, Cal., December 13, 1913, Mary Sinith, aged 75 years, mother of Isaac Swift. Funeral notice later. Friends may view the remains at the chapel of Pierce Bros. 4th of Hope, between 8th and 9th streets, Los Angeles, Wednesday, the 17th of December, at 9:30 a.m.

WELCH. In this city, Elizabeth L. Welch. Funeral from Welch's Funeral parlors today at 2 p.m.

WISE. In this city, December 15, Alexander Wise, aged 61 years, brother of the late William T. Wise, native of Scotland. Funeral from the chapel of W. R. Smith & Son, 642 South Figueroa street, at 2 p.m. today. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery, private.

TAGGART. In this city, December 14, 1913, Thomas Taggart, aged 52 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros 4th December 16 at 2 p.m.

TOWNE. In this city, December 13, Nellie Towne, aged 54 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros 4th December 16 at 10 a.m.

WESTFALL. At family residence, No. 322 East Vernon, Pasadena, Cal., December 14, 1913, John Westfall, a native of Hessel Hesse, aged 77 years 4 months and 7 days. Funeral services will be held at St. Peter's Pro-Cathedral, No. 303 South Olive street, Los Angeles, Monday, at 10 o'clock. Interment private. Sacramento and San Diego papers please copy.)

FUNERAL NOTICE.

South Gate Lodge, No. 338, F. & A. M., will convene at Thirty-third and Main streets, Tuesday, December 16, at 12:30 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Angus Isaac de Berry. By order of W. M.

F. H. WHITE, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

ATTENTION, PIONEERS.

John Walfield died December 14, 1913, age 8 months. Funeral from St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, No. 303 South Olive street, Tuesday, December 16, 1913, at 10 o'clock a.m. Pioneers requested to attend.

JOSEPH MISSMER, Funeral Director.

Attest: AUGUST WACKERBARTH, Secretary.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

The newly elected officers of Southern California Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will be duly installed Wednesday, December 17, 1913, at 7:30 p.m., at the new Masonic Temple, corner Second and Hope streets. Worshipful Past Grand Master Edward R. Wells will be the installing officer. This will be a most interesting and important meeting and all members should be present, and a full attendance is requested. Refreshments will be served.

JAMES G. SCARBOROUGH, Secretary.

WARREN R. BOWLBY, Secretary.

Setback.

TWO ATTORNEYS HELD FOR TRIAL

DEMURRERS OF M'KELVEY AND STEVENS OVERRULED.

Judge Wellborn Says that Practices Such as These Lawyers Are Accused of Are Scoundrelly and that Anyone Employing Them Ought to Be Disbarred.

Legal ethics was the issue yesterday in the argument of the demurrer to the indictments returned by the Federal grand jury against C. S. McKelvey and W. H. Stevens, the attorneys charged with misuse of the mails in sending alleged blackmailing letters to W. H. Evans of Monrovia and Fred MacBratney of El Centro. The demurrers were overruled. The cases will be set for trial during the January term of court.

The letters apparently involved a proposed action by Mrs. Elizabeth Lacey and Mrs. P. S. Barker against Evans and MacBratney for damages for the alleged seduction of their daughters. Attorney Ingle Carpenter, representing the defendants, argued that if it was criminal for an attorney to write prospective defendants informing them that an action of a certain character was proposed to be brought against them and offering them an opportunity to settle the matter out of court the publication of a court proceeding, even if the charges made were the subject the expected defendants would be public disgrace and ridicule, and that the sources of income by attorneys in the city of Los Angeles would be destroyed. He claimed that the letters sent to Evans and MacBratney were proper and justified under the circumstances.

Judge Wellborn declared that any lawyer who would write a letter to a party the object of which was to frighten him to pay money would be glad to have a public trial in a court room, since a public trial is a scandal, that ought to be driven out of the public courts. He said he believes the defendants had formed a conspiracy to extort money and held the indictments good.

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California and the Coast—12 Pages

The Los Angeles Times

XXXIIIRD YEAR. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1913.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 By the City Directory (1913)—488,417

Iron Hand.

DRASTIC STEPS TO CURB THE MOTOR SPEEDERS.

Efficiency Commission to Recommend Stringent Traffic Measures.

Ask Four-Foot Safety Zone Next All Street Cars for Use of Pedestrians, Standards to Mark Stations, Semaphores, Register of Violators, Special Penalties, More Officers, Warning Signs Everywhere.

STIRRED by the many serious auto and street car accidents, an alarming percentage of which have ended in fatalities, during the past few weeks, the Efficiency Commission of Los Angeles made known yesterday that it will recommend a number of stringent amendments to the present traffic ordinance governing all vehicles.

These will come as an adjunct to the proposed regulation offered by Councilman Betkouski demanding registration for every driver of an automobile, no matter whether the operator be professional or amateur, paid chauffeur or private operator, man, woman or juvenile.

For several weeks a subcommission, consisting of Lieut. Butler of the traffic squad, F. H. Greer and Joy A. Winans has been studying the traffic situation and yesterday their report was turned over to the Efficiency Commission for final action before being sent to Council.

FOR SAFETY ZONE.

The proposed amendments are nine in number. One of the principal ones calls for the establishment of a safety zone, four feet in width and long enough to allow pedestrians an opportunity of boarding cars without being knocked down or brushed by autos. Standards carrying large signs shall designate the stations. The adoption of the portable semaphore, one of which has been going through a tryout at Third and Broadway, is suggested. Signs on lamp posts indicating the stopping point at corners will prevent the autoists from running far out on the crossing for pedestrians.

REGISTER OF VIOLATORS.

The police department is asked to establish a system registering all complaints against the violators of the ordinances, notifying such persons of the filing and when the record shows several violations prosecuting in a severe measure.

Special penalty for the offense of driving a machine while intoxicated is advised, the first offense calling for a fine of from $50 to $500 and the second for a minimum of ten days in jail and a maximum of 180 days with no alternative of fine.

An increase of motorcycle officers is asked for, not so much to arrest the violators of the speed ordinances and their subsequent conviction, but because of the moral effect they will have in patroling all of the prominent highways of the city. The total number should be sixteen men at this time according to the report.

Warning signs are suggested for all school grounds, these to be placed within 200 feet of the school on the right hand side of the street and carry the warning of the location as well as a speed of no more than twelve miles an hour. Signs at the city limits where the county highways join are to be placed as soon as possible. Each sign will give the city speed limit and will be illuminated at night. The downtown traffic ordinance is asked to apply to thirty-two intersecting streets which are located in various parts of the city and are considered dangerous without the enforcement of the measure.

"I have not as yet heard the proposed amendments in detail, but am certainly in favor of the one suggesting imprisonment instead of fines," said John S. Myers, City Auditor, and a member of the Efficiency Commission. "There are hundreds of persons in Los Angeles, particularly young bloods, whose dads are probably paying without question their expenses, and who think nothing of a fine of $10 to $50. Such fines come in the class of those which are assessed against trust magnates, $4000 or $5000 for an offense which has netted them from $100,000 to $250,000 or more."

SEND THEM TO JAIL.

"Constant violators of traffic regu-

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N. B. Blackstone Co.

Special Gift Gloves

Many of the novelty gloves we now show were bought expressly for this holiday season. Styles are the newest, qualities the best and prices just a little more attractive than usual. Here is a line of especial importance:

French Suede Dress Gloves, 2 pearl clasp, hem and heavily embroidered back of a contrasting color. Tan, brown, beaver, putty and black.....$2.25

Evening Gloves, Street Gloves, Auto Gloves, Men's and Children's Gloves in full lines.

Glove or Merchandise Certificates

are most appropriate holiday gifts. It's the one sure and practical way of solving the gift problem.

Dainty Silk Slips $3.95 to $18.50

Slips of India silk, Crepe de Chine and messaline artistically decorated with val. and shadow lace or dainty little roses of ribbon. White, pink, light blue and other delicate shades. Every price from $18.50 down to $3.95, packed in Christmas boxes.

2 Yard Dinner Sets $6.00

Will anything please the housekeeper more than a fine linen Dinner Set? Today we offer two dozen sets of pure Irish linen; cloth 2-yards square and a dozen 23-inch napkins, handsome round designs, at $6.00 a set. This we count particularly good at the price.

The Silk Hosiery Sale Continues

When all other suggestions fail one can always fall back on Hosiery—especially Silk Hosiery—and know that it will please.

This sale of Onyx Silk Hosiery is most opportune. It opens the way for your gift money to do almost double duty.

$1.50 Values for ..$1.00 $2.00 Values for ..$1.35
$3.00 Values for ..$1.95 $4.00 Values for ..$2.85

and so on through several other lines.

Misses' and Men's silk hose at special sale prices.

Toilet Requisites are Always Acceptable

In this line we show all the high grade standard brands.

Perfumes, Toilet Waters, Powders, Sachets, Soaps and Manicure equipments. For gift buyers we have special lines put up in the most attractive manner.

Silk Girdles $1.25 to $15 Black or Colors

The season's most fashionable fad—these handsome silk girdles. Designed to be worn with any street gown. They are of messaline, crepe de chine, moire or velvet; many beautifully hand embroidered in silk or gold threads and finished with fringe and tassels. $1.25 to $15.00.

318-320-322 South Broadway

Furniture Carpets Rugs

JOSEPH'S 912-914 So. Broadway

Sues Husband's Father, Brother, and Sister.

Mrs. Lester Hayward,

Who seeks a hundred thousand dollars for alleged alienation.

Blames Others.

BRIDE OF FEW MONTHS CAN'T FIND HUSBAND.

ACCUSING Dr. Henderson Hayward, his son, Thomas, and daughter, Mrs. Laura Ayers, of conspiracy in the alleged spiriting away of her husband, Lester Hayward, another son of the hotel capitalist, Mrs. Louise R. Hayward, yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court seeking $100,000 heart balm. The three defendants will say little about the affair, while the Titian-haired plaintiff has talked freely of the schemes and artifices alleged to have been used by the father, brother and sister to persuade her husband of a few months to abandon her without providing a cent for her support.

Young Hayward, who is well known to the bright-light habitues of a dozen large cities, is supposed to be rusticating south of the Mason and Dixon line. His father and relatives assert they haven't an idea where he is located. His wife, who is an attractive divorcee, is prostrated with grief, according to her friends, at the Knickerbocker apartments, No. 821 South Hope street. She is without the actual necessities of life, according to her complaint, and friends are providing sustenance and paying her bills. Not many weeks ago she was living in elegant style at the Alexandria, where her husband secured accommodations upon their arrival in Los Angeles, October 6.

The plaintiff says she loves her husband with all her heart and that he is as infatuated with her today as he was July 31, last, when they slipped away from her home in Washington to be married a few hours later in Baltimore. She admits that Lester said when he was courting her that he was rich and had $22,000 in cash and jewelry in Los Angeles, which declaration, she says, is untrue. Furthermore she pawned a $1000 diamond ring to secure money to purchase railroad and Pullman tickets from Washington to Los Angeles, she declares, Lester saying he would settle with her when he arrived.

Young Hayward, says the complaint, mysteriously disappeared from Los Angeles, October 15, and has not been seen or heard of since by his wife. She alleges that Dr. Hayward furnished his son with money to leave town after liquidating his hotel, taxicab and other outstanding bills. Further that she has been treated in a shameful manner by her husband's relatives since her arrival. She says she has never met her father-in-law, and Dr. Hayward admits it. Mrs. Hayward left the Alexandria a few days after her husband departed, telling her he would be gone a few hours. He left a telephone number on a piece of paper, asking his wife to call, and took all of his personal belongings with him, she declares, and when she called the number there was no response. She called it several times during the next few days. Still no answer.

"I don't want to discuss this terrible affair," said Dr. Hayward last night at his beautiful residence, No. 2501 Wilshire boulevard. "I never met the woman, but will say I have been expecting this thing for some

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Industrial Alchemy.

TURNING SCRAP IRON TO GOLD.

Guggenheims Buy a Thousand Carloads Here.

Seven-Year Accumulation of but One Concern.

Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars Moving Cost.

The concrete weight of $150,000, expended to carry away the waste-product of one local industrial concern was added yesterday to the cumulative evidence that this city is steadily forging to the front as an industrial center. The sum represents the freight bill with which the Guggenheim interests have saddled themselves in contracting to purchase the slag and waste heaps of the California Industrial Company.

According to Vice-President and General Manager Denman of the selling company there are, roughly, 1000 carloads of material in the concern's waste heaps. As all these cars will go to Salt Lake, and as the freight charge per car will be $150, the eagerness of the Guggenheims to get something made in Los Angeles is evident. So far as known it is a freight-delivery contract without peer on this Coast.

The first car was loaded under the contract yesterday and other cars will be loaded from now on at the rate of from three to four a day. By wheelbarrows and by a mammoth magnet-crane, the slag and waste are going into the cars. The wheelbarrow handling is simple; the magnet practice isn't. Swinging from a great runway in the scrap iron and waste shed of the concern is a self-propelling crane. Hanging from this, spider-like, is another, also self-propelling and governing the other. The integral parts of this spiderlike appendage are a great cake of metal and a cage in which an operator is seated. The operator is surrounded by a mass of levers. One swings a stream of electricity into the cake of metal and thereby magnetizes it, so that it can pick up a ton of iron at a sweep. Another lever cuts off the electricity and the holding hand is thereby released. Other levers direct the crane backward and forward at a touch, while still others control the carrying apparatus of the major crane, so that the two cranes can at the same time be taking their several ways at right angles to each other. It is, in a way, a masterlike presentation in lifeless substances of a humanlike ability to arrive at something like humanlike locomotion.

But more salutary evidence of the magic wand waved by science is the use to which the Guggenheims are to put the slag and waste they acquire from the California Industrial Company. Until recently, the slag from an iron smelting furnace was looked upon as worse than useless. It was in the way, nothing more, a substance that was only valuable because it might occupy valuable ground.

But a use has been found for it, or the Guggenheims would not have purchased it. It is to be used as a part of a flux in smelting. As a part of this flux, the iron in it—the more iron the better—will take into itself the waste product from the smelted sub-

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Lest Orphans Starve.

COUNTY TAKES BURDEN SHIRKED BY HOLY HI.

THE question of giving aid to orphans and half orphans who are left unprovided for by a law passed by the last State Legislature occupied considerable time of the Board of Supervisors yesterday.

The final conclusion was to provide for 151 children left without support in the county. The orphanages which shelter these children will be given $75 a year for half orphans and $100 a year for orphans by the Supervisors. This means simply that the county has assumed the duty shirked by Holy Hi, lest the orphans actually starve to death.

At the next session of Legislature the Supervisors will endeavor to collect the sums thus expended by securing an appropriation.

"We cannot let these poor children suffer, whatever may be the State law," said Butler. "If it is necessary I will go into my own pocket to see that they are cared for."

All the Supervisors echoed his opinion.

At the meeting were representatives of the Pasadena Children's Home, the Los Angeles Orphans' Home, the Missionary Sisters, the Jewish Orphans' Asylum, McKinley Industrial Home, Home of the Guardian Angel and the Boys' and Girls' Society of Pasadena.

The children who will thus be supported by the county are those whose parents have not lived in the State for three years, one of the senseless provisions of the Legislature and a pet measure of the Governor.

Left-handed Bouquets.

NEW RECALL PETITIONS BRICKBATS FOR NORTON.

ANOTHER recall movement couched in particularly uncomplimentary terms, was started against Supervisor Norton yesterday, and 500 petitions were placed in various sections of his district, which extends from Hoover street across the river into the Boyle Heights section.

Norton says he cares nothing about any recall and will pursue the same course that he has done without reference to the wishes of certain members of associations.

The heading of the new recall petition reads as follows:

We, the undersigned, each of whom is a registered voter and a qualified elector of the Second Supervisorial District of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, do hereby seek to recall and remove from the office of Supervisor of Los Angeles county Richard H. Norton, the incumbent of said office, said Supervisor, being elected from the Second Supervisorial District of said county, and we demand the calling of an election to determine whether the voters of the said Second Supervisorial District of Los Angeles county will recall the said Richard H. Norton, and we demand the election of a successor of the said Richard H. Norton, as said Supervisor from the Second Supervisorial District of Los Angeles county, California.

We respectfully represent that the said Richard H. Norton has for more than ten months last past continuously held the office of Supervisor of the county of Los Angeles from the Second Supervisorial District of said county.

The grounds, upon which said re-

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All Native Sons and Daughters, Too.

Mrs. Baptista Tomanelli

And her twenty-second baby. Her twenty-third has just been born. Mrs. Tomanelli discussed her interesting family with enthusiasm last night after having done a day's washing.

Mother of Many.

KEEPS BIRTH RATE UP, LEADS A HAPPY LIFE.

TWELVE living children and eleven little graves are the motherhood record of Mrs. Baptista Tomanelli, No. 2331 Damon street. One week ago this mother of many gave birth to her twenty-third child. Yesterday she did the family washing, and last night she discussed her children with enthusiasm.

And all of Mrs. Tomanelli's score and three babies were fed from bottle.

Mrs. Tomanelli is Spanish. She was born forty-five years ago in an adobe house at Eighth and San Pedro streets. Her father was Frank Gomez.

When Rosa Gomez was 15 years old she and George Christ, an American, were married. They had five

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Musical Gifts of Highest Quality

Musical Gifts are always popular at Holiday Time. A Gift of this nature conveys the Christmas Spirit as few other Gifts can, because its value is enduring.

No matter what kind of a Musical Gift YOU select this year, buy it where best assortments are carried. The Birkel Company is the logical place to come.

PIANOS

Our Lines comprise the foremost Makes in the World—

STEINWAY— Uprights, $375 up. Grands, $800 up.
WEBER— Uprights, $350 up. Grands, $750 up.
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STROUD— Upright, $300.
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We are sole Representatives for the Aeolian Line, the only genuine Pianolas. The Pianola Player-Action is incorporated only in the following Pianos:

STEINWAY PIANOLAS— Uprights, $1275. Grands, $1150.
WEBER PIANOLAS— Uprights, $1050. Grands, $1850.
STECK PIANOLAS— Uprights, $900. Grands, $1400.
WHEELOCK PIANOLAS— Uprights, $800.
STUYVESANT PIANOLAS— Uprights, $700.
STROUD PIANOLAS— Uprights, $600.

Ukuleles, $8, $10, $15

If you give one of these unique Hawaiian instruments, you'll be sure of getting the genuine Native Ukulele if you buy it here. We have sold immense quantities of these popular instruments. Prof. Kia, the renowned Hawaiian Artist, gives Free Instruction to every purchaser.

Mandolins, Guitars, Banjos

Our assortments cover an immense range, in all styles and prices. We have excellent Mandolins, Banjos, Guitars and Violins at practically any price you wish to pay, from $5 upward. We are sole Representatives for the famous Washburn Line, the standard Stringed Instruments of the world. Prices on these begin at $15.

Victrolas, $15 Up

Pay a Dollar or Two Weekly

Thousands of Victrolas will be chosen this year as Holiday Gifts. From our complete stock you can select any Style, at practically any price you care to pay, on the liberal terms of a dollar or two weekly. Due to the heavy Christmas demand we urge you to select your Victrola this week.

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"31 YEARS IN THE MUSIC BUSINESS"

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Steinway, Weber and Other Pianos and Pianola Player Pianos—Aeolian Pipe Organ for the Home—Headquarters for Victors.

YOU had better buy now while prices are low. They will double in SANTA MONICA OCEAN FRONTAGE. See SCHADER-WELLS, 1808 Ocean Avenue, Santa Monica.

Life.

FORMER STAR ANSWERS CALL.

Famous Woman Walker Dies in County Hospital.

Made Remarkable Records During Career.

Husband, Maimed, Sits in Grief Over Loss.

While modern movie magnates sit in millionaire palaces enjoying the fruits of quickly acquired wealth, one of the pioneers of the industry, inventor of an original motion camera, sits friendless, homeless and forlorn in a little cottage at No. 380 Patten street, mourning the death of a once famous wife, whose body was yesterday cremated, while he was unable to stir outside because of the loss of his own foot just a year ago.

Mrs. Ada Louise Paley,

Who was known years ago as Mme. Anderson. She was champion woman pedestrian of the world, but died in obscurity and poverty in Los Angeles after a series of misfortunes beggaring her husband, William Paley, one of the inventors of the motion-picture camera. The lower picture shows her as she appeared in 1878.

William Paley, whose name figured in suits involving Thomas Edison, the Biograph Company and other pioneers in the motion picture business because of infringement of patents on the first cameras of this character, is the man. An English artist of Leeds, graduate of the South Kensington Museum, he was deeply interested in photography and in 1892 perfected a machine which would take a series of photographs at one time. Other inventors were thinking along the same line and several machines were placed on the market concurrently.

At the advice of his wife, he relinquished his interests to the Edison Company and became one of their first operators, while she, who had been an actress of some note on the English stage, and at one time champion woman pedestrian of the world, became a film actress.

EVENT OF THE TIME.

When Paley met and married Mlle. Anderson in 1878, it was one of the events of that time. She was just coming into the height of her fame as a walker and had won many prizes in England. The year after the wedding, she came to America and proceeded to do some astounding things. Among the first of these was walking 475 miles in twenty-eight days and nights. She walked a quarter of a mile every quarter of an hour during that period, getting her only rest between the lapse of moments coming at the completion of the short walk. In Chicago during an exposition in 1879, she walked a quarter of a mile every ten minutes for a period of two weeks. This means that the only time of sleep had to be taken in five-minute naps.

The daily papers of the time were filled with her wonderful pedestrian achievements, and it was only the remonstrance of her husband that caused her to abandon the lists for the more sedate occupations of the housewife. When he had achieved distinction in the infant motion picture business, she again took an active public interest, appearing in some of the first movie dramas ever produced.

IN SPANISH WAR.

Paley was sent to Cuba during the Spanish War and was the man who caught on reel the battle of Santiago and other notable events of the short struggle. From that time until a year ago, he was active in motion picture production. While coming down a mountain trail near Reno, the buggy in which he was riding was tipped and his right foot was slightly mashed.

It was several weeks before he realized the severity of the injury. He was then forced to come to Los Angeles for treatment. At the Good Samaritan Hospital he had ten operations, each one removing first a portion of his foot and later a portion of his limb, gangrene having taken hold. The injury was the beginning of financial catastrophes also. Savings of years, a fine home in New York and other property, was swept away and it was these things that brought on the serious illness and the ultimate death of Mrs. Paley on the exact day to a year of the sustaining of the injury. She was nearly 74 years old at the time of her demise.

Wheeling himself about on a chair, built for himself, Paley had taken care of her for months, until she was ordered removed to the County Hospital, where she died. He was unable to attend the short funeral services yesterday and broke down when he referred to his "angel."

Paley is a man of considerable education, a Mason of high degree, and a Shriner. Not even intimate friends of old days are aware of the bad fortune that has followed him.

To Curb Speeders.

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ulations should not be fined, but should be sent to jail. In some European countries they have no ordinances, but any man causing slightest injury or damage is held responsible to the last penny and frequently must serve sentence and statistics prove this a very sensible method of dealing with foolish motorists. As for the other amendments, I think they are all good as far as I know at this time and according to the decision of other members of the commission, will be passed up to the Council within the next week for action."

BETKOUSKI RESOLUTION.

Registration of every driver of an automobile as a regulation by the city of operation of cars is provided for in a resolution offered yesterday to the City Council by Councilman Betkouski. The proposed ordinance, suggested by the resolution to be drawn by the City Attorney, will compel every man, woman or child to first register with the city, paying a nominal sum for a certificate, before being permitted to drive or operate an automobile.

The resolution was referred to the Public Safety Committee with instructions to confer with the City Attorney.

The Efficiency Commission will hold a special meeting today at 2 o'clock p.m. in the Exchange building to pass on the merits of several mechanical devices submitted for the use of motor cars.

FASTER IN COUNTY?

At the suggestion of Supervisor Butler, County Counsel Hill was instructed yesterday to draft a new vehicle ordinance to go into effect next month. In it the maximum speed of automobiles will be fixed at twenty-five miles an hour instead of twenty, as under the old law, and all vehicles will be required to show a red tail light and two front white lights after dark.

Joy of Giving.

KRIS KRINGLE'S UNDERSTUDIES.

GOOD FELLOWS COMMITTEE MAIL TEN THOUSAND CARDS.

Men and Women of Slender Means Are Joining With Wealthier Citizens to Relieve Distress of Thousands of Destitute Persons at Christmas Time.

Good Fellows Committee, 506 Delta building, H. C. Warden, secretary.

Gentlemen: In His name, and as an offering to the memory of my mother, I will see to it that Santa Claus answers one letter if you will send it to me with official investigators' report.

Thanking you for the chance, [Sign]

Name .....

Address .....

Phone .....

The great-hearted plan to play Santa Claus to all the needy in Los Angeles, conceived by the self-constituted "Good Fellows" Committee Saturday, was pushed farther along toward execution at a meeting of the ways and means subcommittee yesterday afternoon.

No time is to be lost to get in touch with every possible person in the city who desires to play understudy parts to old Kris Kringle. Return postcards are to be printed setting forth the object of the plan, and the names of all the clubs whose representatives have indorsed the plan.

These will be sent out to the entire membership of the important clubs. Those who respond will be asked to send their donations of clothing, groceries, toys, etc., to the headquarters of the "Good Fellows" in the Delta building, No. 426 South Spring street, or, better still, to take their gifts to the needy ones personally. Addresses will be supplied volunteer cheerbringers on request.

No less than 10,000 of these cards are to be sent throughout the city. In addition to these, which are to be mailed, 1500 will be distributed in downtown office buildings, banks and stores. There will be no excuse for being missed.

The responses that have come into the committee headquarters from persons in all parts of the city and county and even from Redlands, Riverside and the beach cities, serve to prove that the warm sun of Southern California nurtures other things besides big oranges, big potatoes, and big almonds—it makes great big hearts which prompt the fine spirit of giving at this time of the year.

Into the offices in the Delta building there came yesterday morning a man and a woman who seemed not overly blessed with the world's goods. The secretary believed he was about to hear an appeal for Christmas aid. He was due for a surprise, for the good-souled couple asked for the address of some family with children whom they might invite to Christmas dinner. And so did many of those who have responded. They are all sorts and conditions of people, wealthy ones who will care for five or six families and do it well, others who are not wealthy in money, but rich in the blessing of generous hearts, who will give all they can.

One member of the Ways and Means Committee said yesterday that it takes a job of this sort to give men an insight into the goodness that is everywhere about. "Any man who is apt to be cynical with regard to the general frailness of human nature," he said, "ought to get interested in a work of this sort. He would find so much nobility among ordinary people that he would become forever ashamed to have doubted."

GIVES BONDS TO APPEAR.

George Fliegler was brought here yesterday from San Francisco by Constable Thomas to answer to a charge of obtaining $500 under false pretenses in a real estate deal. Fliegler gave $1000 bonds for his appearance at a preliminary examination to be held in Justice Reeve's court, January 8.

MUIR RECOVERING.

Gerald Muir, who took a powerful narcotic Saturday afternoon in the County Jail when arrested upon a charge of forgery, was reported recovering in the County Hospital last night. When he is able he will be given a preliminary examination in Justice Forbes's court.

Established 1889 Assets Over $3,750,000

6% Time to Plan for January Money 6%

January, the big money month, will soon be here. In January interest and dividends are paid—loans and other invested money is returned for reinvestment.

If any of this January money will come to you, it is time to plan to reinvest it with as little loss of interest as possible.

For a quick, safe investment that will pay the liberal rate of 6 per cent interest you should choose our $100 Certificates.

These Certificates can be purchased in any convenient multiple of $100. You buy them direct from us either in person or by mail and thus save any expense, such as brokers' commissions, loss of interest through delay, etc.

This concern operates locally. The officers and directors are all prominent local men, so that you can investigate easily and quickly to satisfy yourself that these Certificates are thoroughly reliable.

Next to the liberal interest and safety of these Certificates their most attractive feature is the ease with which you can withdraw your money when desired. Afer one year you may withdraw at any time, without any expense or loss of either principal or interest.

The Federal Income Tax will not be withheld at the source from interest due on these certificates.

A written request will bring a complete description of these Certificates or call at our office if convenient.

6 Per Cent and Safety

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D. M. CUTHBERT, Loan Inspector. C. J. WADE, Secretary.

State Mutual Building & Loan Association
223 South Spring Street

Keeps Birth Rate Up.

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children and then were divorced. A year later Mrs. Christ married Tomanelli, an immigrant from Switzerland. He is 55 years old. This father of eighteen children is employed in an iron foundry at a salary of $60 a month.

At the Tomanelli home last evening the mother was rocking Ida, the latest. No. 18 was giving diligent attention to a bottle of warm milk while her black eyes blinked at the light of a kerosene lamp.

"I am feeling just fine," said Mrs. Tomanelli in good English. "I usually am up in about a week after a baby comes. My health is always good. I don't even have headaches. I have been ill only once in my life. I did a washing today.

"I believe in letting the Lord have His way. Too many married women injure their health in trying to keep down the birth record.

"Of course, it's a pretty hard job to provide for so large a family, but we've managed to get along fairly well. We own this home. The children go barefooted a good deal of the time, and our clothes are very plain. We spend most of my husband's salary for something to eat. I help out by raising chickens.

"I think we have as pleasant a time as the average family. I believe I am happier than many women who have more property and less family. Sunday is always a big day with us. My husband is home on that day and the children and all of us have a good frolic."

"Where is Mr. Tomanelli?" the caller inquired.

"Oh, father has been in bed an hour. He's usually tired."

Eleven children are at home. One is married. The others of the twenty-three are dead.

It was a mental effort for Mrs. Tomanelli to give the names of her children in order. The first time she gave the list she overlooked two. These are the names of the children, the first five being of the first marriage:

Henry, Herman, William, Harry, Dora, Joseph, David, Frank, Lily, Stella, Edward, Ernest, Walter, Josephine, Thomas, Louisa, John, Amelia, Baptista, Agnes, James, Everet and Ida.

BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

Mrs. Alma E. Edwards, who confessed to having forged checks on Mrs. W. F. Lloyd, No. 701 East Forty-seventh street, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday. She was placed under $1000 bail and her preliminary examination set for Friday. Mrs. Edwards declares she was forced to choose between forgery and the destruction of her self-respect, and chose forgery. The private detective who arrested her will ask the leniency of the court.

NON-NEGOTIABLE CHECKS?

Charged with having paid his employees with non-negotiable checks, a warrant has been issued for the arrest of J. R. McKnight, a contractor. According to the complaint, McKnight paid his employees with checks on the Homebuilders' Association when he had no funds with that corporation.

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Table d'Hote dinner from 6:30 p.m., $1.50. Dancing in evening.
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Reckless Band.

NIGHTLY RIDES IN STOLEN CA

Captured Boys Confes Wholesale Robbery.

Sixty Automobiles Ta Used and Wrecked.

One Says He Stole Ten chines in Ten Nights.

Five boys, who have stolen mobiles valued at $150,000 and tered them about the city, lea many of them wrecks, were arre yesterday by Patrolman W Woods.

Coincidence, assisted by the pa man, caught them. In a high-p motor they were driving south Figueroa, when the car stopped. machine was in front of No. 5 where Woods lives. They appeale him for assistance, and their act aroused his suspicion. By teleph ing to the Police Station, he ide ified the car as one belonging to J Redpath. The boys were taken to University Police Station and w turned over to the juvenile officers

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The juvenile officers will prosecu the boys, all of whom are under years of age.

In Federal Court.

WRONG METHOD OF PROCEDURE

JUDGE REFUSES TO PERMIT JURY INVESTIGATION.

Alleged Wrongful Acts of Jurymen in Case of Investment Company Officials, He Says, Calls Rather for Detailed Explanation, Which Has Been Promised.

Judge Wellborn, in the United States District Court, yesterday refused the request of attorneys representing the indicted officials and employees of the Los Angeles Investment Company, to hold a personal investigation of the members of the Federal grand jury with a view to ascertaining, what, influence might have been exerted upon the body by Alonzo S. Gear, a member of the jury, in regard to Gear's connection with the corporation.

Oscar Lawlor was the only attorney representing the defendants present in court, and Judge Wellborn stated that after consulting the authorities he had determined that the probe of the members of the grand jury was not the proper way of securing the information sought, and he expressed a doubt whether under the circumstances a charge of contempt would lie against Gear.

The Court, however, thought, that Gear should have an opportunity to explain why, as a member of the grand jury he has been so active in trying to collect the $1000 gold note issued to Mrs. O. Z. Tusler, and why he went out of his way to tell at least one of the defendants that he was a member of the jury and that the company might need a friend, intimating that unless the note was paid, Gear, as a member of the grand jury might make trouble for him.

In the opinion of Judge Wellborn, there was nothing else to be done in the matter. S. M. Johnston, as attorney for Gear, told the Judge that he would have Gear in court this morning to tell all about his connection with the purchase of the gold note and his efforts to collect the money as the agent of Mrs. Tusler.

THEY'RE SHOPPING EARLY.

Rush at Postoffice Shows People of the City Are Sending Christmas Gifts in Time.

The Christmas rush is properly on at the city postoffice. Yesterday morning a line of several hundred was present with the opening of the building. There are now six windows at which stamps are sold, and four of these are devoted to the parcel post business. Three men are stationed in the lobby weighing packages.

At the parcel post depot, at Los Angeles and Alisos streets, nearly fifty men are employed receiving and distributing packages to all parts of the world. The utility of the parcel post system will be demonstrated by the holiday rush, and, so far, everything has been handled expeditiously. Even this time on the business will not reach within the crest being reached within the present week.

The admonition to Christmas buyers to make their purchases early and get their gifts in the mail, has had the effect of clearing up a large amount of shipments to far-away points, and the consequence is that prospects are flattering for the most satisfactory handling of the holiday mails in the history of the local office.

AUTO DRIVER TAKEN.

James Thompson was arrested on North Main street yesterday and charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated. He was arraigned before Police Judge Chambers, and his case continued.

Reckless Band.

NIGHTLY RIDES IN STOLEN CARS.

Captured Boys Confess to Wholesale Robbery.

Sixty Automobiles Taken, Used and Wrecked.

One Says He Stole Ten Machines in Ten Nights.

Five boys, who have stolen automobiles valued at $150,000 and scattered them about the city, leaving many of them wrecks, were arrested yesterday by Patrolman Walter Weeks.

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY.

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Laura Jean Libbey.

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY TALKS HEART TOPICS.

Girls Who Send Notes to Young Men—The Fun-Loving Fellows.

"It needs no language signs,
It's written here between the lines,
How I love you! You will see
If you look there, loving me."

Who would expect all young girls to have wise old heads on their pretty young shoulders? Could they be blamed if, perchance, their judgment slipped a notch or two regarding the trustworthiness of their young men acquaintances? In no instance is a girl more apt to err than in the letters and notes she writes to her young men friends. For instance, a gentleman whom she thinks very well of may casually remark that he hopes to find time to call upon her during the following week. He makes mention of this without attaching particular importance to the matter, nor does he suppose that she will.

Men are careless creatures. It does not occur to him that he will be the cause of keeping her at home each evening of that week awaiting him. But that is just what occurred.

When he failed to put in an appearance, expectation turned to disappointment. Where nine independent, sensible young women would toss their pretty heads and hum that rollicking tune, "I don't care! I don't care!" the tenth would write him a note, excusing the act by saying she hoped he was not ill. With a slip of the pen, her letter takes on a bit of gushing style. Even the most timid maid can put on paper that which she would never dream of uttering to the man in person.

She tells him how disappointed she was at not seeing him. That he was in her thought constantly. She may even go so far as to write him of other gentlemen who called, but she would not see them. She adds a long postscript telling him to come if he possibly can the next week. She asks if he had received her former note.

Thoughtlessly she drifts into extravagant expressions. She never knew, she wrote, how one could miss another until that lonely week she passed without seeing him; that each time the doorbell rang she was sure it was he. She waited till the clock struck 9 'ere she turned away from the window, where she had been watching for him.

The young man who received these epistles may have meant well when he made the promise to call, if possible, but circumstances may have changed his intentions. He may have been obliged to go out of town, or had important business matters thrust upon him, which put everything else out of his mind temporarily. He meant to apologize and explain later on. The two notes in succession would surprise most young men. Where one would take them in a matter of fact way another would jump at the conclusion that the girl was languishing with love for him. It would embarrass many a man who intended to call only as a friend.

There is another class of fun-loving fellows who think it no harm to show their correspondence to their comrades, that they may know how popular they are with the girls. Such men may even go so far as to compare notes, boasting of their conquests.

Tender missives that foolish trusting girls never imagine will be seen by any other eyes than those intended, are looked over with amusement and ridicule by his friends in a way that would bring the blush of shame to her cheeks and bitter tears of mortification to her eyes could she but know of the treatment which her notes were subject to. The only safe rules for girls to follow is not to take the initiative, in opening the correspondence with a man, no matter how much of a gentleman he appears to be. If circumstances require that a note be sent, let it be quite brief—a few pleasant, courteous words that anyone might read. Even an engaged girl should be chary of gushing in her letters to her fiance, keeping in mind the old adage, "there's many a slip, twixt the cup and the lip." One may write in a thoughtless moment that which she or he may be sorry for ever after. After a woman is married to another man he may find out her apparent fondness for an earlier beau, and his jealousy over the notes she used to write him may cause no end of strife in the heart of an otherwise fond and trusting husband. Young ladies, think this over carefully.

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

BRYAN'S FACE AN ASSET?

Outline of Secretary's Features Given as Reason for Request for Road Improvement Donation.

In the request made by the authorities of San Bernardino county to Secretary Houston of the Department of Agriculture, a copy of which has just been received by Supervisor Charlton of Angeles Forest, among other reasons why the government should make a liberal appropriation out of the fund of 10 per cent from the national forest reserves of the country, for the improvement of public roads within the boundaries of the reserve, it is set forth that "William J. Bryan's face is forever outlined in Slide Peak."

Slide Peak is located in Santa Ana Canyon, back of Redlands, and the representation on the face of the elevation, in this case, is alleged to be a replica of the Secretary of State. It is considered a clever way to pry an appropriation from the Wilson administration.

The road contemplated, and for which the money is needed, will run from Mentone to Bear Valley, a distance of forty miles. The county authorities of San Bernardino have already set apart $40,000 for the work, but much more is needed.

MORE "TRANSIT" CHINESE GO.

Fifty-two "transit" Chinese, and one Japanese, the latter deported on a "white slave" charge, went north in two special coaches over the Southern Pacific Railway yesterday afternoon. They will sail for China from the northern port today.

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Call or write for interesting details about the "Fifty Payment Plan Savings Certificates" issued by this Bank.

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Please send me details about the "Fifty Payment Plan Savings Certificates" issued by this Bank. Time 12-16-13

Can't Find Husband.

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time. I don't know where my son is. That's all I have to say."

Mrs. Ayers and her brother, Thomas F., were both informed of the filing of the suit. "She started suit two weeks ago," said Mrs. Ayers, "but called it off. She told my brother at the time that she would not cause us any trouble. The whole thing is ridiculous."

Thomas refused to talk for publication.

HER STORY.

Following is Mrs. Hayward's story: "We were married in Baltimore on July 31. Yes, it was a secret wedding. We slipped away from Washington and went to Baltimore. We went to Atlantic City for two weeks, and we were so happy. Then we went to Chicago, where we remained until the latter part of September, when we started for Los Angeles. We registered at the Alexandria October 6, and remained there some time. We were both broke and Lester's father paid the bills through his son, Thomas.

"Mrs. Ayers called on us the day after we arrived. She called several times after and telephoned several times a day to Lester. One day when I was visiting her at the Rex Arms she told me that Lester had to leave Los Angeles. She told me many mean and horrible things about him. I resented this and told her Lester would not go without me. One night, while we were sitting up on the mezzanine at the Alexandria, Hayward Ayers, her son, came up to Lester and gave him money to pay his bills and $100 besides, telling him to 'get out at once.' They never thought of me and never mentioned my name. I became furious and said: 'Lester loves me and I love him, and we are going to live together irrespective of anyone.' When I left the Alexandria I had to borrow $1 from a lady friend to pay the expressman to take my trunk away. I didn't have a penny. I am heartbroken over this affair. I know Lester will come back to me if his people don't keep him away."

Mrs. Hayward is the niece of Rear-Admiral Nicholson, at present in command of the Asiatic squadron. She is the grand-daughter of the late Columbus Alexander of Washington, and is well-known in army and navy society circles. She was Mrs. Louise R. Hayes before her last marriage. Attorney Charles P. Huey is handling Mrs. Hayward's case.

BEARS CHARMED LIFE?

Fumes of Gas Counteract Those of Alcohol and Confessed Prize-Boozer Is Now Well.

John Dordent boasts that nothing can kill him. The surgeons in the Receiving Hospital believe him. Throughout Sunday, by his own confession, he rejuvenated an intoxication of long standing and pressed it to the breaking point, trying, as he says, "to drink all the booze in the city."

He retired in his room, No. 702 Maple avenue, very weary, too tired to turn off the gas. So he blew it out. All night he slept in the fumes of the gas, breathing them into the depths of his lungs.

At noon yesterday the servants detected the odor of gas, and had Dordent taken to the Receiving Hospital. He rapidly recovered, and walked out of the hospital, feeling quite pert, he said.

And while Dordent was walking away smiling brightly, a poor man was lying in the wards, sick unto exhaustion from the strain of a "morning after."

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Hand made goods.
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Per Pound 25c
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Asst. Jelly Beans,
Broken Mixed or
Gum Drops
Per Pound 10c
Peppermint and Wintergreen Lozenges, or
Lion Mixture
(Sugar Cream & Jellies)
Per Pound 15c
GUM
Spearmint and 3 other Brands, 6 Pkgs. ...5c
Calorab Candy Pigs,
2 Pounds.....35c

Cocoanut Brownies,
Peppermints,
(an after dinner mint)
Salted Peanuts,
Marshmallows,
Pressed Brittle,
Butter Toffee or
Popped Corn, per lb. 20c
Fancy Glace Cherries
½ Pound Pkg. 20c
1 Pound Pkg. 35c
Fancy Glace Prunes
Stuffed with Walnuts,
1 Pound Pkg. 35c
½ Pound Pkg. 20c

TWO STORES
514 So. Spring St. Broadway 1146 Home 60081
Cor. Pico and Normandie West 90 Home 60081

New Recall Petition.

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moval or recall is sought, are as follows: The said Richard H. Norton is wholly incompetent to perform the duties of his office; that he has refused to vote for certain measures necessary to construct and promote the making and maintenance of good roads in Los Angeles county, and that said refusal on the part of the said Richard H. Norton, was not based on his judgment as to the merits of said issue, but for the following reasons:

That a unanimous vote of the board is necessary for continuance of the system of good roads inaugurated; that said Norton knowing this, seeks to obstruct the continued construction of good roads desired by the other members of the board in conformity with the sentiment of the people, solely in order to personally control the action and judgment of the other members of the board in other matters. That the said Norton is mentally deficient for the duties of Supervisor; that his memory is faulty and his judgment erratic and arbitrary in all things; that he has no mind of his own and is influenced in all his actions as a member of the board by prejudice or the advice of others who are not responsible to the people.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

The postoffice at San Bernardino was robbed of two money order blanks yesterday, Nos. 246,798 and 246,799, marked with the M.O.B. stamps, but unsigned. Orders have been sent by the postoffice inspectors all over this part of the country for the detention of any person presenting the blanks for payment whether made out for the maximum amount or any other sum. There is no clew as to the identity of the thief.

WANTED IN NORTH.

On telegraphic advices from San Francisco the detectives picked up Forrest S. Clarke, 33 years old, on North Spring street last night, and he is held at Central Station for the northern authorities.

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DIAMOND MERCHANTS
631-633 South Broadway.
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COST OF GRAPE JUICE.

Secretary Bryan demands for the year's administration of the State Department $404,780 more than was expended by his predecessor. Grape juice-Chautauqua-Democratic-simplicity statesmanship comes high, but the people must have it.

A SHREWD WRITER.

We have been as much entertained as the public has been by the contributions on the Mexican situation which have appeared in this newspaper under the signature of Observer. These studies have been deep and wide and have gone to the heart of a vexing problem with peculiar vision and wisdom. They have done much to acquaint the American public with the exact situation across the border.

A QUESTIONABLE EXPERIMENT.

A Cincinnati minister has adopted the old institution of free lunch for the basement of his church with the hope of drawing thereto the man who is down and out. Unfortunately for the pastor's plans, most of the free lunch in America is not consumed by the poor, but is taken as a relish in handsome cafes with expensive drinks. It is the busy man's sandwich much more frequently than the hungry man's relief.

THE HUMAN HEART.

In Connecticut a State Senator is considered a marvel who is alive in spite of the fact that his heart has widened to ten inches. It is common to speak of a generous man as one who has a heart as big as a barrel. The fact is that the human heart is only four inches in width when it is normal. For an article no bigger than that, it manages to give many of us plenty of trouble, providing that the feelings of persons really are in the heart and are not located, like the soul, in a place that we do not know. Sometimes a thing hits us hard enough to be felt all over.

DEMOCRATIC OPPORTUNITIES.

Of old when a politician desired to take a trip to Washington at the public expense, he acquired a Navajo blanket, a pair of moccasins and the tail feathers of a turkey cock, arrayed himself as "The Dakota Blizzard" or "Man Afraid of his Mother-in-law," and was taken by the nearest Indian agent on a visit to the Great White Father at Washington.

Now he manages to be subpoenaed as a witness before three or four investigating committees of Congress, secures mileage and per diem from each, and has the time of his life, and Uncle Sam settles the bill.

OFFICES FOR DEMOCRATS.

Any Democrat whose high expectations of a postmastership or a United States Marshalship have been blighted because there are not offices enough to go around, has a chance to secure an appointment as a member of a Congressional commission to examine and report on the effect of cinch-bug bites on Alaskan reindeer, or the best methods of removing the vermiform appendix of rabbits.

Or President Wilson may appoint him a special agent to study rural credits in the Balkans, or ascertain the amount of Gifford Pinchot's interest in the Pocahontas Coal Company.

A GREAT GATHERING.

Los Angeles expects and will receive throngs of visitors from the exposition at San Francisco in 1915. Our people will naturally take a greater pride in entertaining those who are attracted here by some of our own offerings. One of these will be the International Saengerfest, at which a chorus of 5000 Germans and German-Americans will offer a programme of superb music, extending over a period of four days. This huge army of singers will be accompanied by at least 30,000 visitors. It will be one of the great events of a big year in California and our people should extend to the guests their unlimited hospitality.

A BUM SPOOK.

From all we have been able to read of the appearances made in London by the shade of the late William T. Stead, we do not think much of William's wisdom as a spook. As yet he has said nothing clever or profound. The speeches credited to him by a medium and those spoken by the thing that poses as his ghost have not been interesting nor of so much as ordinary intelligence. William should do better or stick to the Elysian fields. Besides, why does a free spirit want to spend all of his days, not to speak of his nights, snooping around fog-beridden London? If he doesn't like paradise, he might at least come to Los Angeles.

THE FORTUNES OF WAR.

Scores of Los Angeles people who met the brilliant and diplomatic Senator Jose Castelot when he was here in behalf of his government a year ago will learn with profound regret that he is in deep trouble. His fortune has been entirely dissipated by the war and his son is in prison. This seems an impossible reverse in so short a time. His wealth was vast and his influence beyond estimation. He possessed one tract of land valued conservatively at six million dollars and his son was a member of the Chamber of Deputies. His misfortunes only illustrate the tragic condition of all Mexico. If unselfish men of riches and power cannot survive, what must be the suffering in that unhappy land of those less favored.

JOHNSON'S SULKING ROLE.

After the manner of the gentleman with the vulnerable heel who pouted in his tent because Agamemnon, leader of the hosts before Troy, wanted the prettiest girl among the captives, Gov. Johnson now sulks within his domicile. "Ashheels," as one of Brete Harte's characters called him, said "I don't want to fight." Gov. Johnson says, "I do not care to run for any office in 1914." We all know that Achilles wanted to be coaxed. We all know that on previous occasions when Johnson said he "didn't want to run" that he religiously pulled strings to keep anyone from taking him seriously.

When he was talked of as the candidate for Governor, he babbled "I don't want to run." Afterwards he grandiloquently announced that he would make the sacrifice. When Roosevelt was holding a rump convention at Chicago and Johnson was already slated for Vice-President, the Governor of California stated that he did not want the honor, that he could not be persuaded to run, etc., ad nauseam. At the same time, faithful Chester Rowell editorially declared that Johnson could not be persuaded to run because he was "needed" in California, and that he always answered where duty called.

So now we have the pathetic spectacle of Johnson getting ready to make another sacrifice for the good of the country and the gratification of his ambitions. Will he run for a job in 1914? Will a kitten poke its nose into the cream bottle? Will a puppy chew up a lady's silk stocking? Johnson is only sulking because it is the role he plays. And Rowell, and Francis Heney, the Oakland Enquirer, the Stockton Record, the San Francisco Bulletin and the odoriferous, one-scented papers of Toopious Earl will begin their appeals imploring Johnson to make the "great sacrifice" for the good of the country and run for the United States Senate. It is all part of the stage settings, all part of the play that the Progressives put on every election time.

Heney has come forward to say that he would "sacrifice" himself as the gubernatorial candidate if Johnson would run for the Senate. There is only one thing possibly worse in the Governor's chair than Johnson, and that would be Heney; but no danger of that, even though Heney is vain enough to believe that because he could not be elected district attorney at San Francisco he will be elected Governor of California. His calculations are based on computations of the imagination, so it is unfortunate for him that election returns are counted on adding machines.

But the curtain has gone up on the Progressive farce. Johnson, down center, squarely in the spotlight, is sulking away, dour and sour as usual, before getting ready to spring forward and save the heroine. The chorus of reformers are gliding to their places nervously mumbling their words and anxiously awaiting the signal before opening their great imploration song that is to stir the Governor to his gasconade outburst.

In the meantime the people of California look on and smile; the novelty has worn off of the barn-stormers.

PUT OUT THE LIGHT.

If there was any one principle or practice of government for which the Princeton schoolmaster strenuously contended (before election) it was publicity in the conduct of public affairs. In Chapter VI of "The New Freedom," Wilson says:

"Open the doors and let in the light on all affairs which the people have a right to know about.

"It is necessary to open up all the processes of our politics. They have been too secret, too complicated, too roundabout; they have consisted too much of private conferences and secret understandings.

"The right methods of politics are those of public discussion; the methods of leadership open and above board.

"Let politics be brought out under the sky, where honest eyes can look upon them and honest eyes can judge of them.

"There ought to be no place where anything can be done that everybody does not know about.

"We are never so proper in our conduct as when everybody can look and see exactly what we are doing. Don't get off where nobody knows you. Stay around among the neighbors. That is the only way some of us can keep out of jail."

"Pitiless publicity" was Wilson's watchword when he took the oath of office as President. Soon he substituted the words "remorseless secrecy," and it may ever since have been said that his pre-election promises and his post-election performances have been of no kin to each other. His motto before election was "let there be light," since election it has been "put out the light."

When Taft was President 200 newspaper correspondents had the run of all the departments and were welcomed in the committee rooms of Congress, and invited to repose their wearied limbs on lounges in the White House. Now they dress as plumbers and repairers of telephones and electric lights, and descend with coal shovels into cellars, and climb over roofs like tomcats on a jamboree, in order to capture items of news that ought to be as free and accessible as eggnog on Christmas eve in a Virginia barroom.

They get the news of course, for there is no force known to nature that can stay the progress of a newspaper reporter on the scent of a scoop; and all that President Wilson has gained by his efforts to conduct Congressional legislation in secret has been the contempt of the world.

HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?

Well, friends, you who were hoodooed by Roosevelt, and Johnson, and Toopious into helping to disrupt the Republican party and "progressing" the Democracy into power, how do you like it as far as you have gone? Are you making any more money? Are you getting higher wages? Have your opportunities for employment been enlarged? Has the cost of living been reduced to you as promised? Are you paying any less rent? Do the dinners that you carry in your tin pails or even the tin pails themselves cost less money than when Taft was President?

You who work in the citrus orchards—has the reduction in the tariff on Sicilian oranges and lemons resulted in an increase in your wages? You who work on the sheep ranges, are you getting as much pay for herding and shearing as you were? or do you feel like placing the ewe between your knees and clipping her tail foremost, because you voted the Democratic ticket and are ashamed to look the creature in the face? You who work on the farm, has the lowered price paid for beets in consequence of the new tariff resulted in an increase of your income? The Democratic triumph has reduced your wages, or will soon reduce them from five dollars to ten dollars a month. Is the presence of Woodrow Wilson in the White House worth that amount to you? Really does not the Democratic victory come just a little high to you?

If you are a workingman who never worked when you could help it; if it was your habit to hang about the deadfalls and damn Republican corruption between drinks it won't make so much difference to you, but, assuming that you are an honest, patriotic, worker, whose standard of living has been higher than that of the Englishman, or German, or Belgian, or Frenchman, or Italian in Europe, engaged in the same kind of work, don't you feel that in being induced to aid in abandoning the Republican doctrine of protection and placing the free-trade Democracy in power, you have been—well, vulgarly speaking, buncoed? Is it not likely that in November next you will vote to undo your action of November 1912, and is there any probability that the "Progressive" job hunters will fool you again?

MR. WILSON'S REBEL FRIENDS.

An expression of opinion from President Wilson on the atrocities of his erstwhile friends, the Constitutionalists, would be appropriate at this time. They have not as yet murdered Huerta, confining their slaughter to less prominent persons and directing their outrages against priests and nuns.

Mr. Wilson let it be known that he was strongly attracted to their cause because Huerta was not a model gentleman. Gen. Carranza was represented as an inspired, Kosciusko-like patriot, magnanimously battling for freedom. Huerta was the personification of Thersites and Ganelon. Huerta climbed onto a wobbly Presidential chair and proceeded to legislate without consulting a text-book. President Wilson cannot conceive of any President being either intelligent or honest who does such things.

But now the rebels have discarded their patriotic garments; they are plundering and murdering like any other brigands; they are treating their enemies with the savage brutality of church-wreckers and cut-throats, and between them and the control of the Mexican republic stands the solitary figure of Huerta—somber, resolute, fierce and unafraid—wielding some sort of authority to crush rebellion and establish a government that will endure.

PRODIGY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

The fabulous tale of Jack's beanstalk has been exceeded by the authenticated account of a Santa Ana tomato vine. When tomato vines grow like trees, and spread their waving tendrils to the breadth of eighteen feet, and shower their luscious fruit to the extent of six bushels, it is time to quit writing fairy stories and to begin giving perfectly accurate chronicles of the wonders of Southern California.

Where else is it that rivers are turned from their courses, locked in steel hoops and brought hundreds of miles to serve a city? Where else is it that vast tracts of desert land are turned into verdant gardens? Where else is it that every variety of flower and fruit is grown in abundance, and some flowers are blooming and some fruit is ripening the year round? The tale of the tomato vine that stands twenty feet high may sound fabulous to those unacquainted with other marvels wrought by nature and men in this paradise of the Pacific, but a cursory investigation will reveal so many surprising and remarkable features that prodigies will be taken for granted as the customary, rather than the unusual thing.

CHICAGO'S SCHOOL ROW.

Chicago's 250,000 pupils are being entertained by an edifying spectacle. Several members of the Board of Education are jumping up and down as though running a stationary obstacle race, and calling other members "grafters," "politicians," "rascals" and unequivocal names similar to the Rooseveltian campaign arguments. The 6000 teachers are split into serried ranks scraping with adjectives under the banners of Mrs. Ella Flagg Young or of Superintendent of School John D. Scoop. Mr. Scoop is charged with having placed greased skids under Mrs. Young. It is said that the skids were greased by "text-book trust" money. A "trust," be it known, is synonymous with the "devil;" it is the personification of commercial evil—a sort of a prosperous Satan that goes up and down the earth seeking whom it may devour. The dimensions and characteristics of these trusts are rather indefinite. We don't deny any assertion that there is no trust in Chicago. We don't deny anybody's averment that there is no devil in that place where all of our enemies expect us to go. But we are just curious enough to wish that some definite information might be produced on either of those important creatures. So far the Chicago anti-trust, pro-Mrs. Young faction has confined itself to the airing of private opinions at mass meetings. Even the excellent reputation of Mrs. Young as an effective and admirable educator cannot long sustain the well meant but doubtful assistance of ambiguous charges against her opponent. From this distance it looks like an ordinary political fight for a job into which Mrs. Young has been unwillingly and not aggressively forced by teachers and business men on the school board who personally dislike Mr. Scoop. In the meantime 250,000 pupils are being instructed in the seamy side of an educational system, when, if the case is at all serious, it would seem to be a problem for a grand jury—not for oratorical pedagogues.

Are You One of Them?

STRANGER THAN FICTION.

BY WALT MASON FOR THE TIMES.

It's strange that people live so long, remaining healthy, sound and strong, when all around us, everywhere, the germs and microbes fill the air. The more we read about the germs, in technical or easy terms, the stranger does it seem that we have so far dodged eternity. No wonder a poor mortal squirms; all things are full of deadly germs. The milk we drink, the pies we eat, the shoes we wear upon our feet, are haunts of vicious things which strive to make us cease to be alive. And yet we live on just the same, ignore the germs, and play our game. Well, that's just it; we do not stew or fret o'er things we cannot view. If germs were big as hens or hawks, and flew around our heads in flocks, we'd just throw up our hands and cry: "It is no use—it's time to die!" The evils that we cannot see don't cut much ice with you and me. A bulldog by the garden hedge, with seven kinds of teeth on edge, will hand to me a bigger scare than all the microbes in the air. So let us live and have our fun, and woo and wed and blow our mon, and not acknowledge coward fright of anything that's out of sight.

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DAY OF HARD LUCK.

A Fire Insurance Agent Sees Trouble, Hears Trouble and Himself Gets Into Trouble.

[New York Press:] Scott Shattuck, a Brazil (Ind.) insurance man, made fifteen calls in one day for collections recently, failing to make a single one. He saw trouble, heard about trouble and, finally, had trouble of his own.

At the first house the man was sick and out of work.

At the next place the wife and family were sick and the husband had laid off from work to take care of them.

At the next place the man was walking the floor, having just lost three fingers in an accident.

At the next home crape was hanging at the door, the head of the family having died.

At the next place a family was entertaining the stork.

At the next home the man was nursing a serious felon, which had kept him from work. His boy lay on a couch with one eye gone, as the result of an accident at a factory.

At the next home the anxious parents were watching over a child ill with infantile paralysis.

The ninth revealed that the man had dropped a barrel of oil on his foot and was unable to work.

Mr. Shattuck reached the tenth home in time to help carry the man in from an ambulance. He had met with a serious accident.

At the next place the insurance payment was unable to be met because the head of the family accidentally scalded both of his feet two weeks previously.

Mr. Shattuck ended his day by calling at four homes where the former occupants had moved away, taking their policies with them.

The fire insurance company he represented had three losses during the day, and when returning home Mr. Shattuck lost his account book.

FOXY HANNA.

"When I Was a Child, I Thought as a Child."—Burdettelsms.

A charming book of childish philosophy has recently captured the minds and hearts of multitudes of people who sometimes read books. It leaped into deserved popularity, not only because it is a delightful story, but because it is a helpful inspiration to thousands of persons who have resolved to adopt "Pollyanna's" game and play it, as Americans play anything they play at all, to the entire exclusion of all other affairs whatever.

Modern American reformations and progressive movements consist of three parts:
I—The Preamble;
II—The Resolution;
III—The Collapse.

Many things are sweet and natural in childhood which are mawkish and abnormal in grown people. One great weakness in the innumerable psychological treatises upon the child life, is that the writer—in many instances a sage of the mature years of twenty-three or under, compels the child to accept the philosopher's interpretation of the childish actions. And this interpretation cannot always be correct, because scarce any two of the teachers agree in their exposition.

"I Put Away Childish Things."

Pollyanna's philosophy is a bright and beautiful thing for a child. And the most interesting thing about it is that it was not hers at all. It was invented by her father, a gentle-hearted preacher with a child-like heart. The little girl would never have thought of it herself. But she adopted "the game" with a child's quickness, and developed it and improved it. "The Game" is to be glad, when you fall into manifold afflictions, because they are not worse.

It is a better thing to be "glad," no doubt, because things are not worse than they are than not to be glad at all. But that isn't a philosophy for a grown man. That is childish. A man or woman must have nobler and higher reasons for rejoicing. Not to be glad because there is nothing worse the matter with you, or because some greater disaster had befallen some one else, but to be glad that you are given the man's strength and the woman's patience to carry your allotted burden with a light heart and happy face.

A Book About Children.

As I have carefully studied the audiences which assemble to hear the book read and discussed, I am impressed with the fact that it interests grown-ups, rather than children.

Much, if not the greater part of our juvenile literature, consists—not of books for children, but of books about children from old folks. The pathos of "Little Boy Blue" does not deeply affect the little tot, cheerily playing with his own tin soldier. But it makes ache and throb with bitter pain the heart of the woman who buried her own "Little Boy Blue" years ago.

In the Book and in the House.

Outside a book, a very trying child. Pert, at times almost to unconscious impertinence; inclined to be presuming; a little bit over meddlesome. She opens the windows and lets swarms of flies sweep into her Aunt Polly's immaculate house and seems to think Aunt Polly should rejoice and be glad that they were not hornets. What woman would not sympathize with Aunt Polly?

When the Left is Right.

I remember once upon a time, only a few years ago, standing with my youngest son waiting for a trolley car. He had just passed most successfully certain trying final examinations at Belmont School, and celebrated his emancipation by rushing out to the gymnasium and performing the most difficult and complicated athletic feats of which he deemed himself master. One of these, an aerial somersault from a flying trapeze, resulted in a fall and a badly fractured arm, which arm, at the time of which I speak, he was wearing in a sling. To us approached a benevolent-faced old gentleman who entered into conversation, taking the bandaged arm as his introduction, and essayed a little homily on the duty of "being glad because it was nothing worse." "For," said the homilist, "it is your left arm, I perceive, that is broken. Be grateful that it is not your right arm—the handy arm with which you serve yourself; the ready servant of your bodily needs; the arm that is helpful and quick, alert and strong, and does automatically the things that you want it to do. Let this thought make you not only contented but grateful." The boy thanked him and said quite drily, "That is all right, all that you say, but it happens that I am left-handed."

The old gentleman looked greatly disconcerted. "Then it seems," he said, "that I've wasted my sermon."

"Oh, no!" replied my son, "keep it until later on you find the right boy who has broken the right arm."

Twice in the course of the narrative Pollyanna is called on to put her theories into active practice, and "play the game" herself. And both times she fails, miserably, humanly, naturally. First is the occasion of her bitter disappointment over the bare, jail-furnished room her aunt gives her, where she had dreamed of seeing beautiful pictures and dainty furniture. She throws herself on her knees beside her trunk, bursts into a storm of tears and has a woman's restorative—"a good cry." When her cry is over, of course she is ready to be glad about anything. That's the eternal feminine. The other time is the awful tragedy, when the dear little girl is so truly injured by a speeding automobile and from her bed overhears her Aunt Polly and the doctors say she will never walk again. That is a catastrophe. She is crushed; despairing; hopeless. There is no comfort; no consolation. On both these occasions the child was perfectly natural about the only time she is naturally human in the book. There was no place for the "game" here.

Because life is not a "game." It is a race; steady, continuous, gruelling. It is a battle, a fight to a finish. You don't "play" life; you live it. The only easy thing about life is dying.

Character—Not Happiness.

After all the great object of life is not to be happy anyhow. All the beatitudes are pronounced upon people not commonly supposed to constitute the happy classes. "Happy are the poor;" the mourners, the meek, the persecuted, the reviled.

The great lives of earth; the shining beacon lights of history have not been the tango-dancers; the spenders; the money makers; the "rounders." They have been the men and women who made the world happier because they made it better. They were so intently bent upon building better characters for themselves and for other men and women, it didn't occur to them that it was at all necessary to make them "happy." "In this world ye shall have tribulation. Be of good cheer." Why? You shall overcome the world and its tribulations.

Patrick Henry Pendarvis

Pen Points: By the Staff

No doubt Huerta would be able to suggest something for President Wilson's notes.

The Sayres are being wined and dined in England as befits royalty. Oh, yes! Jeffersonian simplicity.

Riverside and San Bernardino are now joined with hooks of steel. More substantial than a streak of rust and a right of way.

It is denied that George W. Perkins will desert the Bull Moosers. Certainly not; there can be no political heaven without an angel.

A Stanford University professor says it will be possible to avoid earthquakes in the future by study. Some shakes, his opinion.

All of the newspapers in England have reached an agreement to suspend publication Christmas. They do some things awfully well over there.

Under the new alien bill Japanese must be able to read their own language. Of course, if it is the Chinese, they are not compelled to read it out loud.

Mrs. Pankhurst might make a hit by writing a book with the title: "Jails That I Have Met." It appears to be one continuous scream with Emmeline.

Capt. Smith has been made warden of Folsom. Now if all the Smiths in that institution stand together there are enough of them to keep comparative peace.

Father will lose no sleep on account of the statement that the professional doughmakers are in dire distress because they are undersold by the department stores.

The labor troubles in Indianapolis are ended. And they were not a bad thing in one respect—they enabled the city to get rid of that eminent vaudevillian, Mayor Lew Shank.

Secretary Bryan says that it has never been his sole ambition to be President of the United States. And the people of the country saw to it that he was not disappointed.

When Secretary McAdoo has nothing on his hands he formulates a few new regulations on the income tax law. And it is a question whether he knows what it is all about.

The wreckage of a vessel supposed to be hundreds of years old has been cast up by the sea at Santa Barbara. It may be the "Flying Dutchman," immortalized by Richard Wagner.

The keel of the yacht that is expected to show a clean pair of heels to the Sir Thomas Lipton craft has been laid. Will the American crew be made up of the usual Long Island contingent?

The fact that President Wilson will co-operate with the other nations to preserve the parity between gold and silver indicates that Secretary Bryan is losing his influence with the administration.

A representative of Hiserta has gone to Paris for the purpose of raising a loan. And he may succeed, the Parisians are so easy to separate from their coin, as witness the De Lesseps Panama Canal lottery scheme.

It might be well to have the warden do a bit of maneuvering about Chicago until the Ella Flagg Young incident is closed. The women have on their war paint, which is distinguished from the other well-known variety.

Why include deposit guaranty in the pending currency bill? It has been tried in Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska and Texas and nowhere has it been a success. The operations of the law in Oklahoma show that the scheme is dangerous.

THE NEW HYGIENE.

The health-man once more has been raised
his voice
And scaring us out of our normal placidity;
No more must we dine off the things of our choice,
For sugar and sweets produce overacidity;
Spuds are too starchy and soup is too thin,
Pastry is clogging and tea too astringent,
Canned goods, cold-storage eggs, bacon and "rich"
We also must add to the poison contingent;
Microbes in mackerel, ptomaine in roast meat,
Caffeine in coffee, let's kick up a fuss,
For instead of our living on what we should eat,
The things we are eating are living on us.

Turnips and carrots were thought to afford
Wholesome nutrition, but now it is found
That life-giving properties cannot be stored
In cold, soggy roots that are grown underground.
Or if in the juice of the grape we would revel
For alcoholic symptoms 'tis needful to watch,
Schooners of beer float us straight to the devil
And years are nipped off in each sip of "hot Scotch;"
Oysters, ice cream and the toothsome mince
Will leave our insides in a terrible mess
And daintier dishes for which we all pine
Are deadlier diet that's praying on us.

The germ and the microbe will get us at
yet,
For in everything good they're abundantly strewed;
Which means that we mustn't drink nor eat thing wet
And mustn't eat anything looking like food.
Too soon hygiene in its vigilance wary
Preserve us a morsel we safely can chew,
When we say, "we must eat, we'll be starved if we don't,"
We are cheerfully told, "you'll be attacked if we do!"
There seems little chance for the man in the street,
His appetite's good and his morals are high;
It surely is wrong to live only to eat,
But oh! is it right to eat only to die?

HARRY ROBERTS.

FOR
Facts, Fea

DAILY BEAUTY HINT

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FOR WOMEN AND MEN.

Facts, Features and Fancies.

BY OLIVE GRAY.

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In Her Own Way.

A girl whose annual sales of fancy work have become so well-known that people wait for them to select many of their gifts will have her stores ready for selection one day this week. Among the novelties offered by her are blouse covers which are both pretty and practical, since they perfectly protect the blouse as it hangs.

Their big sisters do the same for the frock. The shape and materials of these are unlike any seen heretofore. Another novelty in the stock of this dainty-fingered girl is a ribbon roll for keeping sanitary cotton upon the dressing table. I never saw so many dainty and useful bags as she has made. She also has some entirely new incense sticks of oriental origin. The orange stick is one of these. It comes in an orange-colored carton and is itself of orange color as well as of orange fragrance. Lemon verbena is another delicious fragrance which comes in packages of pastilles to burn, or to use as an odorant for the drawer or handkerchief sachet.

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To Keep 'Em Still.

Small boxes of beads in brilliant and pleasing colors for children to string are both pleasant for the children and a boon to their grown-up relatives who have tired of noise and romping while the little ones are kept indoors. These wee packages are found in many of the stores and cost but a few cents each.

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Worn by Madame La Mode.

Plaid ribbon sashes are very attractive on girls' tailored suits.

Hats made wholly of fur have a considerable vogue for motoring.

The general tendency seems to be in favor of darker colors for suits.

Some of the most striking French corsets actually have vests in them.

Many of the conservative winter coats are made of blue or black sibeline.

Charmeuse or velvet skirts are the correct thing to wear with fur coats.

Velvet and broadcloth are used in the same suit, but always in the same color.

Black leads all other colors for the broadcloth costume for afternoons.

Roman stripes in very bright colors are in great favor for trimmings.

Raglan sleeves and kimonos are as important as ever on one-piece gowns.

Hunter's green and tete de negre are among the best colors for the winter.

The heavy winter coats usually have closer, set-in sleeves for greater warmth.

Some few skirts with draped backs, giving the effect of a bustle are seen.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has no superior as a cure for colds, croup and whooping cough.—[Advertisement.

A Christmas Sale of Umbrellas

Commencing today, our entire stock of Men's and Women's umbrellas, including those with handles of wood, gold, silver, gold and silver inlay, and other materials, sharply reduced in price, as follows:

$5.00 Umbrellas at.....$4.00
$6.00 Umbrellas at.....$4.50
$7.50 Umbrellas at.....$5.00
$10 Umbrellas at.....$7.50
$12 Umbrellas at.....$8.50
$15 Umbrellas at.....$11.00

No better Christmas Gift can be imagined—for every member of the family.

Hat Department—First Floor.

Christmas Gifts in Abundance

Harris & Frank

437-443 SOUTH SPRING ST.

SYMPATHY FOR CHIEF.

Quiet Reigns in Police Station and Prisoners Pray at the Time of the Funeral.

Quietness came to the police station yesterday afternoon when, in a distant part of the city, the funeral ceremonies were conducted over the remains of Mrs. Selina Jane Sebastian, mother of the Chief of Police. The Chief's office was closed, the heads of the various departments were absent, and even the prisoners, acquainted with the Chief's bereavement, asked permission to hold for a moment, silent prayer. It was a touching demonstration of their kindly feelings toward the Chief and his late mother.

The services were held from the chapel of the Peck & Chase undertaking rooms. The Rev. Baker P. Lee delivered the funeral oration. At the grave, the service was conducted by the Pleiades Chapter of the Ord Order of the Eastern Star of Norwalk.

The pallbearers were Ex-Mayor Alexander, P. P. O'Brien, R. E. Dill, James Frampton, W. F. Baird of Artesia, and Police Captain Murray.

Masses of flowers surrounded the bier. More than 600 telegrams and letters of condolence and sympathy were received by Chief Sebastian.

Staub's FOR Slippers

Of course, you've one or two pairs down on your Christmas list. A complete assortment here for Men, Women and Children. Comfortable, durable models—the "Everett," "Romeo," "Juliet," "Boudoir" and "Cavalier." Priced most moderately.

Staub's
336 SOUTH BROADWAY

Fine Gems for Christmas Gifts

Sold Under Exact Representations as to Quality and Value

Pleasure in the possession of a Gem depends largely upon the assurance its quality is

Unquestionably Fine

Of the total annual yield of Diamonds a very small proportion only belongs to the

Unquestionably Fine

For more than 30 years here in Los Angeles we have confined our dealings exclusively to gems of undoubted merit. There are many grades and qualities of Diamonds—therefore the purchaser of a gem is entitled to know the plain facts about its characteristics of color and brilliancy—the perfection of the crystal—its cutting—its shape—just as the case may be. In these respects it has always been our invariable practice to state the truth unequivocally. This policy has earned an unbroken record of satisfaction on the part of those who have dealt with us. Our prices may always be relied upon to be as low as prevail elsewhere for equal quality.

Montgomery Bros. *Jewelers*

Grant Building Broadway at Fourth

—Home of Ostermoor Mattresses— —McCall Patterns—

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

FOUNDED in 1878

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Buy Umbrellas for Personal Use or for Gifts, in This Big Sale at Coulter's

Much of our rainy season is ahead; umbrellas will be a necessity for many people who haven't provided themselves. A gift of one will certainly prove acceptable, even if the recipient already has one or two; styles for women and men:

Plain and Fancy Handles
—gold and silver mounted; best paragon frames; black, navy, brown, garnet and green taffeta and gloria silks;

At $2.50; values to.....$5.00
At $3.25; values to.....$7.50
At $5.00; values to.....$12.50
At $7.50; values to.....$15.00
At $10.00; values to.....$22.50

—Umbrellas; Main Floor—

Leather Bags $3.65 Values Up to $5.00

Leather Bags are always so popular for gifts that there is no question as to the response there'll be to this underpricing!

Hundreds of Bags
—in leathers of all the popular sorts; some of them fitted with coin purse and card case; the wrist bags, flat vanity styles and regular shopping bags to choose from; values to $5; all at.....$3.65

—Leather Goods; Main Floor—

Calendars Reduced

—Odd Christmas Letters, Booklets and Calendars at prices like these—
5c grade, three for 10c; 10c grade, two for 15c; 15c grade, 10c, three for 25c; 20c and 25c grades, 15c, two for 25c.

—Booths; Main Floor—

A Clearance of Neckwear, All Sorts

Children's Marabou Sets
—(neckpieces and muff) in natural, red fox, black, pink or white; regularly $5, $6.50 and $8, at just.....Half

Women's Scarfs
—floral, lace and beaded designs; certain lines, not to be reordered, at.....Half

—Neckwear; Main Floor—

Special! All 25c Handkerchiefs, Six for $1.35

There will be scores of buyers for these really unusually dainty handkerchiefs; our assortments are wider now than they ever were!

At Six for $1.35—we show dozens of styles in Shamrock and linen embroidered corners, embroidered borders, imitation Armenian edges, colored borders and others.

At Three for $1—embroidered corner designs in extremely wide variety.

—Handkerchiefs; Main Floor—

20 Suits for Stout Women 1/4 Less

This store has specialized in the correct fitting of women whose proportions are so different from the normal that they have despaired of ever buying tailored suits ready-made. Now we reduce prices on just twenty—

Girls' Wool Dresses Reduced One-Fourth

Serges, Bedfords, French Serges—navy, brown, black and white checks; Balkan, low waist, Peter Thompson styles; some light weight challis included, for girls of 8 to 14; regularly $5 to $16, now
$3.75 to $12.00

Sweaters for Boys or Girls

Shaker, Jumbo and the finer weaves, in Ruffneck and Byron collar style; navy, brown, red and gray; practical and appropriate gifts to a child—priced at
$5.00 to $7.00

—Children's Wear; Second Floor—

Cheviots and Granite Weaves
—wool velours and mixtures in navy, brown and gray; suits that sell regularly for $32.50 to $40.00, now ....**$23.65 to $30.00**

Regular Sized Suits Cut a Third
—handsome serges, cheviots, boucles, broadcloths, mixtures in plain or fancy models; some of the popular wool velours included—garments of the highest qualities; regularly $20 to $95.....**$13.35 to $63.35**

—Garments; Second Floor—

Very Special Holiday Prices on Wool Suitings

We cannot too strongly emphasize the appropriateness of dress or suit patterns as gifts for women; and we offer some special inducements for buying now. Each pattern put up in a holiday box:

54-Inch Brocade Effects—all new this season; colors only; values $3.50, $4 and $4.50, at.....$2.50
47-Inch Fancy Suitings — regularly $2.50.....$1.50
52-Inch Wool Tapestry Suitings — were $6.50.....$4.00
52-Inch Tapestry Suitings—were $5.00.....$3.00
44-Inch Checked Sponge Coatings — were $6.00.....$4.00
54-Inch Light Serges, Heavy Cheviots, Basket Weaves, etc. — values to $3.00.....$1.65
48-Inch Brocade Suitings — in four shades; were $1.50.....$1.00
50-Inch Brocade Suitings— were $2.50.....$1.50
56-Inch Mohair and Wool Suitings — were $3.50.....$2.00
47-Inch Wool Brocade Velours—were $6.00.....$5.00
52-Inch Silk-and-Wool Coatings — were $6.50.....$5.00
42-Inch Plain Broadcloths, Wool Tussah, Poplins, Voiles, Serges, etc.—values to $2.50.....$1.00

—Wool Dress Goods; Broadway Annex—

Odd Toilet Articles Cut a Fourth

Not our entire stock, but odd pieces in ebony, rosewood and satinwood combs and brushes of all sorts, with several pink and blue Parisian ivory pieces; and the entire line of gold inlaid toilet articles—all reduced.....One-quarter

Cretonne Covered Art Needlework Boxes

These useful and dainty boxes are good for a multitude of purposes:

Two-Drawer Cabinets.....35c
Three-Drawer Cabinets.....75c
Combinations for Gloves and Handkerchiefs at.....$1.00
Other shapes and styles, up to 15-drawer Cabinets that sell for.....$4.00
Waste Baskets, cretonne covered—In Collapsible style, 75c; solid.....$1.25
Glove and Handkerchief Boxes at.....50c and 65c
Scarfs and Centerpieces in cretonne, to match.....35c to $2.25
—According to size.
Work Baskets and Waste Baskets, trimmed and untrimmed, ...35c and higher.

—Art Needlework; Third Floor—

Are You Buying Toys at Coulter's?

Where all toys, games, books, etc., are new and fresh, having been purchased this year, for this year's business—and where prices are remarkably reasonable, and varieties such that many people have expressed their delight at finding "just what they've been looking for!"

Kewpie Dolls
—those cunning little fellows with the contagious smile; in bisque or celluloid; 25c style.....20c

Rubber Kewpies
—a novelty not to be found everywhere; two sizes, 75c and.....$1.00

Dressed Kewpies
—with quaint, attractive little outfits; $1.25 to.....$5.00

Blocks
—the 35c quality at.....25c

Nodding Animals
—Father Tuck's well-known nodding animals; mechanical models; 25c and....50c

Books to Paint
—containing designs of all sorts of objects, 25c to.....$1

Paints
—in simple or elaborate sets, 25c to $1.35

Mysto Erectors
—just received; 50c to.....$5

—Toy Section; Third Floor—

215-229 South Broadway—224-228 South Hill Street

Great electro-magnet loading scrap,

At the yards of the California Industrial Company at Fourth and Mateo streets, into one of a thousand cars to be sent to Salt Lake for the Guggenheims. The magnet is the thick iron disk hanging on the block and tackle below a traveling crane. The operator is sitting at the left above. The big pipes and scraps shown are all lifted by the magnetic attraction.

Turning Iron to Gold

(Continued from First Page.)

stance and will carry it away. That iron has been used before for the same purpose is common knowledge in mining circles, but that the small residue of iron in slag might be used as an admixture of a flux is new.

The waste product the California Industrial Company has sold to the Guggenheims, according to Vice-President and General Manager Denman of the concern, is a seven-year accumulation.

"They have contracted," he said further, "to take all our other waste-product, which amounts to from two to three cars a week. The price, well, we are glad to get rid of it, as a matter of fact."

PASTOR GIVEN RECEPTION.

Dr. William Horace Day Parts from Congregation for Year of World Travel.

Dr. William Horace Day, pastor of the First Congregational Church, who has been granted a year's leave of absence for travel, was tendered a farewell reception with his wife and mother, Mrs. Warren F. Day, last night, in the parish house in South Oak street. About 500 members of the congregation were present.

Brief addresses wishing the clergyman Godspeed on his journeyings were given by Dr. E. H. Williford, secretary of the Congregational Ministers' Association of Los Angeles; Dr. J. Clarence Pinkerton, president of the Los Angeles Church Federation; Fred Wilcox, president of the Southern California Congregational Club, and Prof. Henry Storrs. Dr. Day made a brief acknowledgment of the good wishes expressed in his behalf. Musical selections were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Beal and T. Pelletier. Dr. Morris H. Turk was master of ceremonies.

Dr. Day, his wife and mother, will leave today for San Francisco, whence they will embark Thursday for the Orient. They will return to Los Angeles next September.

MANHATTAN BEACH.

MANHATTAN BEACH, Dec. 15.—All of the children of Manhattan Beach will be remembered by Santa Claus Tuesday evening, December 23, when he will visit the Neptunian Club. Santa will arrive in a launch at Center street and go to the clubhouse, where there will be a mammoth tree and gifts for the children. A programme has been planned by the members of the club and the evening will be the occasion of a get-together meeting of adults and children of Manhattan.

Inseparable.

LINKING HOME TO THE SCHOOL.

Closer Relation Keynote of Teachers' Institute.

Speakers Open All-Week Pedagogic Programme.

Pats and Slams for City as to Its Arrangement.

With a large number of prominent educators and speakers from this and other cities, and the largest attendance in its history, the Los Angeles City Teachers' Institute opened yesterday with a splendidly-arranged programme, covering a wide variety of subjects. Two thousand teachers attended yesterday morning's meeting in the Manual Arts High School auditorium, and more than 5000 were present at the sixteen meetings held yesterday afternoon in Polytechnic High School auditorium and classrooms.

The relation between parents, teachers and students is being emphasized a little more strongly this year than ever before, chiefly because of the introduction of the home-credit rule, and it is expected the meetings this week will do much to bring about more effective co-operation in this new branch of the school curriculum.

Superintendent Francis spoke at yesterday morning's meeting at the Manual Arts auditorium, substituting for L. R. Alderman of Portland. The subject was "Character." The speaker, in his talk on the importance of early character building, said that a great responsibility rests upon the teachers in the public schools. A broad sympathy and sincere effort to get the viewpoint of the young people, he said, are necessary to win the confidence of children. Then wise counsel and exemplary example can accomplish splendid results.

NO MUSH AND MILK.

Miss May Schreiber spoke on "The Moral Training that Lies in the Story Book." She declared in favor of the stories with plenty of action, and said it is useless to try to interest a live boy in namby-pamby stories. Clean stories with plenty of action, if they are properly chosen, she said, will hold the attention of young people better and instruct them more.

F. J. Armstrong, chairman; F. C. Weber, Ralph C. Daniels and Miss Mary Grover were the speakers at the home credits meeting. All declared in favor of the innovation. Weber's talk was a thoughtful discussion of the kind of home work that should be credited, and he urged careful co-operation with parents to get the best results.

Assistant Superintendent M. C. Bettinger, in the course of an address on "Reading in the Lower Grades," said that books should be selected that will not narrow the vision of the young people; that the process of learning by reading adopted before the children have entered school should be adhered to so far as practicable.

James R. H. Wagner was the principal speaker at the efficiency meeting, of which Mrs. Mae Carvell was chairman. Jerome O. Cross spoke on "Business Principles in Secondary Administration."

Miss Ethel P. Andrus, chairman; C. P. Fonda and Mrs. Robert J. Teall were the principal speakers at the meeting on "Number of Hours in the School Year." In the course of the discussion that followed most of the participants appeared to be opposed to the all-year plan.

DRESSING THE PART.

One of the most interesting and unique meetings was held by the "Costume-Designing" Committee, Miss Caroline C. Wood, chairman. George T. Winterburn spoke on "Costume Designing as an Art Problem." Miss Peggy Martin followed with a brief talk on "The Commercial Aspect of Sketching," telling what the market needs and what it is willing to pay. Miss Asa Konishi, a winsome Nipponese maid who has had much experience as a decorative designer of costumes in Japan, told of the use of drapery in Japanese costume, and illustrated her talk by draping herself with artistically-beautiful embroidered silk kimonos. The kimono worn by her when she appeared before her audience is of elaborately embroidered and very expensive silk. Worn correctly, its lines and manner of draping are supposed to be both attractive and expressive. She explained that to drape it properly requires fully two hours' time and the services of two skilled maids.

At the "Panama Canal" meeting T. E. Gibbon said the particular and important use which Los Angeles will make of the canal will be in taking advantage of the difference in refrigerated freight in vessels and railroad cars and in taking advantage of the opportunity to secure a big trade with the Orient. He prophesies that the reduction in freight rates that will follow the opening of the canal will increase the value of citrus groves in Southern California $200 to $400 per acre.

Refrigerating in cars, he said represents the highest priced refrigerating used in commerce and in ships the lowest. In that one feature alone, he said, Southern California will reap a tremendous advantage from the canal. A big trade with the Orient at once, heavy shipmenst of preserved fruits to Germany and other nations and the development of production to the point where California ships finished rather than raw or semi-finished products are some of the big advantages the speaker declared will first come with the opening of the waterway.

THE CITY BEAUTIFUL.

The biggest meeting of the day on "The City Beautiful" was held in the Polytechnic High auditorium, Miss May Gearhart, chairman. About 1500 teachers attended. Mrs. Andrew Lobingier gave a comprehensive and beautifully illustrated talk on "The Park System of Los Angeles." She told of the progress that has been made in some of the parks and emphasized her points by showing slides of the spots before and after treatment. "Much of the objection to cutting down trees," she said, "is not well based. Trees grow luxuriantly in California. In some places they make an unsightly tangle and kill each other. Judicious thinning and artistic arrangement create park beauty far in advance of too thickly planted spots."

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

The following telegrams are at the Western Union: Roy Wychoff, Gus Haller, Mrs. J. N. Thurber, Miss Maude Imbria, Dr. T. M. Smith, C. E. Bohn, Michel Katz, Bill Leach, J. F. Jones, G. S. Johnson, A. N. Hill, C. A. Owens, J. D. Martin, Mrs. M. W. Conkling, Miss L. A. Burns, James Dickson, Mrs. E. V. Durand, J. B. Gatz, Geo. Johnson, James Bloom, W. L. Denoyers, Joseph Webb, Mrs. Fred Shaw, J. F. Shelley, W. G. Martin, Mrs A. D. Sutton, Miss Grace Sandberg, Paul A. Horn, A. L. Hoppaugh, Mrs. E. J. McFeely, Mrs. Ella M. Wheeler, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. E. L. Dodder, W. Harrison, Miss Anna Cohen, W. G. Cohen, Jack Nudson and Fred L. K. Warner.

At the Postal: A. Weber, Cornelius Balasss, Fred M. Mason, Chas. Collard, John Linder, Frank Burrow, W. R. Latimer, Geo. W. Barnhart, McConnell, J. L. Lachman and Harry Ross.

YOUNG GIRL ATTACKED.

Office Assistant in Downtown Theater Reports She's Knocked Down and Robbed of Purse.

A daylight robber walked into the Majestic Theater building yesterday, entered the office of the West Coast School of Music, and bound and gagged Miss Rose Levine. After he had felled her and swathed her head with a woolen piano cover, he took her purse, containing $3, and fled.

The assault occurred shortly after the studio had opened in the morning.

Miss Levine was attending to affairs in the front office when the tall stranger, whose appearance indicated the use of drugs, walked into the room. She inquired his business, and he asked for some person, mumbling the name. He said he would wait a few minutes, and immediately seated himself.

When Miss Levine turned to attend to her work the man jumped upon her, dragged her from the chair, and felled her, she says. He took the covering from a piano in the room, and bound her head. He made an awkward attempt to stuff the coarse material into her mouth, but was too nervous to accomplish it.

Miss Levine says she was knocked unconscious by the fall. A. J. Cummings, manager of the studio, came into the room and found her. Miss Levine's story will be investigated by the police.

Captured.

BULLETS BURST AUTO TIRES.

OFFICERS HAVE MERRY TIME WITH SMUGGLERS.

Four Men and Much Opium Taken After Chase Near Border—Leader of Band a Los Angeles Laundry Proprietor Who Sold Out Two Weeks Ago.

After a wild chase over the desert on the Tia Juana road near the Mexican border, customs and immigration officers captured four alleged opium smugglers Sunday night in an automobile containing 135 tins of opium, valued at approximately $3000. The arrests were effected by Customs Officer W. B. Evans, Immigration Officer M. L. Chaffin and Fred Buck, after the automobile of the pursued men had been put out of commission by firing holes into the rear tires.

M. Carsall, Frank Mitchell, Louis La Roy and Adolphe Creste are the names given by the arrested men. Creste, the leader of the band, and owner of the automobile in which they were traveling, is a former laundry proprietor. For the past five weeks he has been residing with his wife at No. 907 Summit avenue, this city, in rooms rented by Mrs. Frank Gracien.

According to Mrs. Gracien, Creste and a party of men left the house in an automobile Saturday morning shortly before 7 o'clock. She did not know the other men of the party. About half an hour later, Creste's wife, who is a laundry worker, left the house, and since that time neither one nor the other has been seen.

Little is known of Creste. He did not work steadily, but until a fortnight ago was part owner of a French laundry at No. 1516 Long Beach avenue, this city. He owned the seven-passenger automobile and always seemed to be in funds.

When captured, Creste had $40 in his pockets. The three other men in the band had about $35 more among them. Creste formerly lived at 1324½ Pleasant avenue. The license number of his machine, No. 117,673, was registered under his own name and at the latter address.

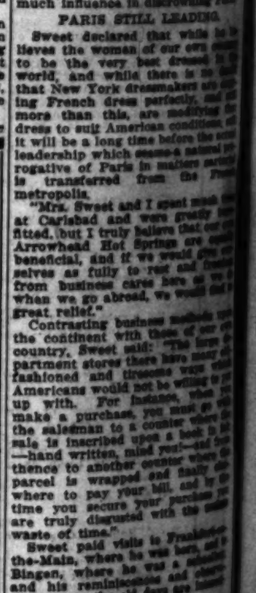
Interesting Visitor.

SEES US FROM T'OTHER SIDE.

Angeleno Business Man an Observant Traveler.

Says Paris Will Hold Its Fashion Leadership.

New Ideas of the Czar's Effect Here.



Otto Sweet,

Secretary and treasurer of Hamburger's, who makes interesting observations on his return from a long tour of Europe.

Otto Sweet, secretary and treasurer of A. Hamburger & Sons, just back from an interesting sojourn of nine months on the continent, Tuesday made some wise observations as to the future of the United States in general and California in particular, as contrasted with older countries. Mr. Sweet, who was accompanied in his travels by Mrs. Sweet, brings home a goodly fund of information.

"It is folly to think," said Sweet, "as many have expressed themselves as believing, that Paris will yield her supremacy to any other city as a center of fashion or of fashionable life. Paris is like the professional beauty who is unflagging in her study of every device for alluring to her side admirers from all countries. Not only is the gay French capital the Mecca of wealthy travelers from our own country, but many South Americans of even greater wealth than our own Americans spend much of their time in Paris, where their extravagant expenditures are proverbial. It will take a long time to turn aside such a tide, if, indeed, it ever turns.

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Contrasting business methods on the continent with those of our own country, Sweet said: "The large department stores there have many old fashioned and tiresome ways which Americans would not be willing to put up with. For instance, when you make a purchase, you must go with the salesman to a counter where the sale is inscribed upon a book by hand—hand written, mind you!—and from thence to another counter where the parcel is wrapped and finally directed where to pay your bill, and by the time you secure your purchase you are truly disgusted with the enormous waste of time."

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Sweet believes that one of the greatest benefits which this country will derive from the opening of the Panama Canal will be from the influx of the more wealthy residents of the eastern coast who will come here instead of going abroad. They, too, who have crossed the Atlantic time and again say that when they are on board a vessel and realize that they are on the water they will gladly turn their attention to California. This will acquaint the most active and prosperous Americans with the excellences of our country and with the equability of our climate. I want to say emphatically that there is no exaggeration according to my observation, as to climate in any way approach our own, and while I have enjoyed my stay in foreign countries, I am glad to be at home and shall be content to remain here for many years to come, rather than making another trip abroad."

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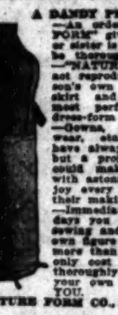

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More Trouble.

GUN CLUBS UP IN ARMS.

Big Fight on Over Ordinance in Santa Ana.

Clubs Want Hunting on Roads Forbidden.

Big Sentiment Aroused Now Against Clubs.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 15.—There is every indication that the gun clubs and the people of Orange county are again going to lock horns. This time it is over a simple ordinance that the gun clubs have long wanted, an ordinance to prohibit hunting on public roads.

The question has been brought up through the attempts of the South Coast Improvement Association to get rights-of-way for a boulevard along the coast of this county, reaching from Bay City, near the Los Angeles county line, to Balboa. Among the strips that will be needed are strips through the Bolsa Chico and other gun clubs.

These gun clubs have declared that they will not give the necessary deeds unless the Board of Supervisors first passes an ordinance to prevent shooting on roads.

MUCH OPPOSITION.

At the Courthouse here men from various parts of the county have declared that the proposal of the gun clubs is a hold-up proposition for a law that they could not otherwise get in this county.

"It will mean a referendum vote sure," declared Victor Walker, a sporting goods dealer, who has heard the question discussed frequently by his customers. "There are a lot of people who never hunt ducks who are opposed to any such law. There are dove and quail hunters who think it ridiculous to ask them to step off the county road every time they want to take a shot. For those who hunt in our foothills, the requirement would be a piece of foolishness."

Everybody knows that there is considerable hard feeling between road hunters and gun club members. Those who are familiar with conditions in the ducklands, a section of a few square miles in the damp lands between Westminster and the coast, say that neither side can claim all the virtue for itself and nothing but lowdown meanness for the other.

There is no question but that there is a widespread sentiment against the gun clubs, and that sentiment does not come from road hunters only. Resentment back and forth so far as road hunters are concerned is a question of who gets the ducks and the road hunters when counted up, are as largely residents of Los Angeles county as Orange county. Feeling against the gun clubs is a far deeper thing than mere ducks. In Orange county it is a question of water, and water is a question vitally involved with oranges, lemons, walnuts, sugar beets, vegetable crops, berries and all the other crops that make Orange county an agricultural and horticultural county.

TO SAVE WATER.

Time and again associated Chambers of Commerce meetings have heard discourses upon the dangers of wasting the underground waters of the county. It is a good deal more than a mere theory, for any person may go out among the ranchers of the county, especially in the district lying between the gun clubs and the citrus belt, and any rancher who has a well can give a tale of woe that bears upon the gun club controversy.

A few years ago there were hundreds of flowing wells in districts where pumping plants are now needed to get water to the surface. Engineers say that the underground water level has been lowered many feet, and that it is getting lower year by year. Efforts to control the waste of water by legislation have so far failed, but the next Legislature is going to be asked for some stringent laws upon that subject.

Almost every gun club has from two to ten artesian wells. About the first of September every one of these wells is uncapped, and it is allowed to flow up to the closing of the duck season in March. Last year most of the wells were capped. Only a few, used for irrigation, were left open. At a recent public meeting here, the charge was made that some of the wells have their top under the surface of the water and are never capped.

THE BOLSA CHICO.

Three or four years ago the Bolsa Chico Club recognized the inevitable fight that would come up upon the water question, closed its wells and got its supply of water for its duck ponds out of a drainage ditch.

At present the Bolsa Chico people have little trouble from outsiders, and naturally it hesitates about opening a road through its preserves, for it will then be up against the annoyances that other clubs have complained of. Should a law against road hunting be passed, it might then feel better about granting the right of way.

The proposition to the South Coast Improvement Association is looked upon as a challenge. Hundreds of people would sign a referendum petition, not because they take any interest in hunting, but because they are against the maintenance of gun clubs for the amusement of wealthy men at a sacrifice of their own precious water supply, and upon the ground that the proposal is a dicker. Probably the general sentiment would be best expressed in the following:

If Orange county wants a right of way for a coast boulevard, let it start condemnation proceedings, and by law take that which the public needs.

O. A. Critchley of Calgary,

Who arrived at Coronado for the polo season with some wonderful ponies.

Road Hunters Who Have Enraged the Duck Clubs.

Even girls are hunting

The wild fowl that are fed by the duck clubs, but stray away from home.

New Blood.

CALGARY POLO PLAYER HERE.

WILL PLAY ON CORONADO TEAM THIS YEAR.

Brings a Fine Stable of Well-Trained, Sturdy Ponies With Him and Will Be a Huge Help for the Southern Team—Has Six Horses. Matches Begin in January.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] O. A. Critchley of Calgary, Can., has arrived at Coronado this month with his string of six classy polo ponies.

Critchley is of the opinion that there will be no regular team representing Calgary this season, and in that event he will doubtless be one of the picked team which will defend the honors of Coronado, his winter home.

The ponies, which are the flower of the stables from the northern land, are sturdy little beasts, capable and clever, and trained to the minute. They give promise of showing well against the choice teams which will enter the polo matches which are to begin in January.

Maj. Colin Ross of the Coronado team states that the personnel of the Coronado team is not yet complete, but will be of unusual merit, against which the teams from Honolulu, Pasadena and Monterey will find themselves well pitted.

SHIVERING FANS SEE A BALL GAME.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PAUL, Dec. 15.—Nearly 1500 "fans," many of them in shirt sleeves, yesterday witnessed the first game of outdoor baseball ever played in this city after December 1. Several of the city's most prominent citizens, including Mayor Keller, participated in the contest, and the gate receipts were added to St. Paul's "community Christmas" fund.

HARVARD WILL PLAY MICHIGAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 14.—Harvard's football team will meet the University of Michigan in the Harvard stadium October 31, next year, according to information received here tonight. This falls on Saturday and was filled by Cornell this year, but it was not announced what college Michigan would displace on the Harvard schedule. The Crimson management in its recent invitation to Michigan suggested October 24 as a date.

Trouble Ahead.

MAIER IS ON THE WARPATH.

SAYS PAT CAN MANAGE TEAM IF HE LIKES.

Owner of Venice and Stockton Clubs Defies California League Magnates and Says It's None of Their Business Who Leads His Club Next Year.

Eddie Maier, baseball impresario, rises up in his wrath to defy Hen Berry and other meddling magnates of the California League.

The bone of contention is none other than Ham Patterson, elongated Tiger first-baseman, who has been offered the job of manager of the Stockton team by Maier. This proposal was greeted with a storm of protest from the other magnates who insisted that Ham's somewhat bellicose demeanor on the field would be detrimental to the best interests of the league.

Maier states in the first place that Ham hasn't answered his proposition either affirmatively or negatively, but that it still stands and he can have the job if he wants it. Maier would like to know if he has to publish a list of his players every year for the approval of the public and tip the can to whomsoever the fickle populace see fit to dislike.

Eddie has a dark and gloomy suspicion that the real reason for all of this trouble lies in the fact that George Wheeler, present manager of the Fresno club, while an umpire in the Coast League, chased Hap Hogan from the coaching lines and now fears to have any ex-Vernonites in competition with him.

"If Patterson wants the job he can have it," said Maier last night. "I don't see that it is anybody's business but my own who suits as the leader of my club next year. If Hen Berry wants to get Frank Chance, John J. McGraw, Connie Mack or any other celebrity for his club he can go ahead and do so and I don't see that he should have any more to say about the management of my club."

POLO TOURNAMENT STARTS SATURDAY.

The first game of the intercity polo tournament is scheduled for next Saturday when the Santa Barbara team will meet either the Pasadena or the Midwick team at Tournament Park, Pasadena.

The official dates for all the matches have not been set, but one of the Riverside games will be held Christmas Day with either the Pasadena or Midwick teams.

The Santa Barbara team will probably be formed of the following well-known players: Dr. Boesche, back; Elmer Boesche, 3; C. W. Dawney, 3, and Edward Parks, 1.

The line-up of the Midwick team will probably be: Carleton Burke, back; Reggie Weiss, 3; Ted Miller, 2, and John B. Miller, Jr., 1; and the Pasadena team: Dr. Boucher, back; John B. Miller, 3; Bobbie Neustadt, 3, and Dr. Malloby, 1.

Long Live the King.

POMONA WINS GREAT VICTORY.

Defeats Palo Alto for State Rugby Title.

Evans's Men Make Another Remarkable Finish.

Splendid Spirit and Condition Turn Tide for Pomona.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

Like the avenging Danites, the Pomona High School warriors once more came from behind, this time winning the State title from the northern high school Rugby champions, Palo Alto, by score of 27 to 10. Anybody who sees these young men from Pomona in a battle is likely to get his money's worth and then a 50 per cent. increase on the capital stock invested. It is the same old story.

With the score 10 to 5 against them and the second half ten minutes old, these red-shirted lads braced and then like a stream of molten fire began to pour through the grim Palo Alto defense. I don't know what Coach Clint Evans says to his men between halves, but it is always enough to make them play about 100 per cent. better in the second period than in the first.

Also we must not overlook the fact that the Pomona team was in splendid condition, long-winded; like a bunch of deep-chested racers the men stood up under the terrific pace set by the speedy men from the north, and in the end showed a clean set of heels to the entire field. Mr. Evans, hats off to you. You have produced the goods. Your reward is the State championship of California.

THE BATTLE ITSELF.

But to return to the struggle itself. The town of Pomona closed shop and retired to the football field to see the sons of the city battle for honor and much glory. The city fathers and the Chamber of Commerce were on hand to see that all was in order. Oh, I tell you, it was a gala day for the knights of the Citrus Belt.

Long before either team appeared on the field, standing room was worth real gold and still the folks from the countryside poured in. They came in flocks and droves, in autos, hay motors and on foot, but no able-bodied man in the valley missed that game; that is, not that we know of.

After much music and many yells, the Palo Alto team trotted on the field. The men were dressed in black suits and at once some one said that they looked like the All-Blacks and hoped, in the same breath, that it didn't mean anything—it didn't.

After quite some wait, Evans sent his red flock on the field and a great, throaty roar greeted the boys who were going into a game for the highest interscholastic honors in the West.

THE KICK-OFF.

The coin spun in the sunlight and Pomona lined up for the kick-off, Palo Alto receiving in the sunny end of the field. Referee Reading waited for a dramatic minute, then blew a blast on his whistle, Parker's toe plunked into the ball, and the game was on.

The Black and the Red came together with a crash. As the two lines met it looked as though Pomona had the weight edge and Palo Alto the backfield speed. Kicks were exchanged in rapid succession, then the Pomona forwards gathered themselves together and swept on down to the Palo Alto goal line, but the northern scrum held here and little Full Back Pratt kicked out of danger.

Here the complexion of the fray changed for the minute. Three passing rushes and one very pretty dribbling rush, and the ball was on the Pomona goal line, only to have our young red-headed friend Baker and his pal, Huston, smash up the next scrum and dribble out of danger.

For the next ten minutes Palo Alto hammered on the Pomona goal line. One Wallace got away and ran around the whole Pomona team, crossing the line, but the play was called back across the field by the touch judge, who said that the ball had gone out before the play started.

Once more the Palo Alto backs, some brilliant work, carried the ball to Pomona's vital boundary and over the same on and after a five-yard scrounded and Reading called the play back.

PALLY'S ATTACK BREAKS.

This seemed to break the fury of the Palo Alto attack, while the fighting Pomona boys took a new lease on life. After an exciting exchange of punt and kicks up and down the field, the Pomona forwards went mad and dribbled the ball forty-five yards to Pally's twenty-yard line. Scrum was called and a passing rush took the ball to the one-yard line. Heretofore the Pomona backfield had not been doing much aggressive work, but as the team swung into scoring position the whole line seemed to come to life with an electric crash, and three times the Pomona forwards carried the ball over the

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All Over Again.

RITCHIE AND MURPHY ARE SIGNED UP AGAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Willie Ritchie and Harlem Tommy Murphy were rematched today to fight for the lightweight championship Friday night, January 23, on the same terms as those agreed to for the bout cancelled December 19, because of rain, and then further postponed because of the abscess Ritchie had developed in his nose while training.

The weight is to be 133 pounds one hour before the fight. If it rains, and a postponement is necessitated again, weighing in also will be postponed until the night of the match, so that it will not be necessary for the champion, who is a little coy about the scales, to make weight on two nights in succession.

Ritchie gets the same guarantee as before—$15,000, win, lose or draw. He allows $2500 to Murphy for the latter's training expenses for the bout that misfired.

Of Course.

WOLGAST IS ROTTEN RISK.

Lloyds Refuse to Insure His Appearance.

Promoter Fears Dutchman May Get Hurt Again.

Scrap With White Should Be a Corker.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Promoter Frank Mulkern of Milwaukee is so fearful of Wolgast's perpetual ill-luck that he has tried to secure insurance for his appearance safe and sound in the ring against Charlie White next Friday night. Mulkern tried several insurance companies, including Lloyd's of London, but was unable to negotiate a policy. Having no security except a forfeit, Mulkern has established a guard over the Cadillac wildcat and if human precautions are of any avail in the matter Wolgast will be delivered sound of limb when the gong sounds.

The former champion is one of the most ill-starred athletes who ever attained prominence. There is no worry over White. He seems reasonably sure to appear in fine fettle for the bout, but it is another matter with Wolgast. Mulkern says he will be worried until the fight is over and he can feel sure the Wolgast jinx has been put to flight.

When Ad was champion he was laid low with appendicitis just before a big battle in Los Angeles a few years ago. Then he hurt an arm in a Milwaukee ring and was further incapacitated. The champion's battle with MacFarland in Milwaukee, on another occasion, was prevented by an unfriendly sheriff. Only a month ago Wolgast had a rib smashed in in a training bout, and had to postpone the original meeting with White.

In view of all this ill-luck, Mulkern is determined to start on the right side of the ledger Friday night. When Mulkern isn't watching Wolgast he has one of his aids on the trail of the little Dutchman, and says under these conditions he feels that he is playing on the safe side.

To date, Mulkern is happy he is not a big financial loser. His total expenditures for printing and expenses for billing and making matches for battles which have never come off, have been $700, but he feels sure he will more than make it up in one big battle.

ENGLISH BILLIARD HANDICAP MATCH.

Alfred E. Mackenzie and George M. Hughes are matched for a handicap match at English billiards, to be played at the Majestic Billiard Academy on the nights of Friday, December 19; Tuesday, December 23, and Friday, December 26.

Mackenzie plays for a total of 1500 points to 1250 for Hughes; in other words, he gives Hughes a handicap of 250 points.

On the first evening Mackenzie plays for 500, Hughes for 420 on the second round Mackenzie's mark is set for 1000, and Hughes needs 830; on the last round, the winner will be he who first reaches his total of 1500 or 1250. Hughes in this way plays for a rate of 415 against Mackenzie's 500 on the last two evenings.

As some diversity of opinion exists concerning the outcome, the match is arousing considerable interest.

Are They Twins?

[Washington Post:] Mrs. Malvern of London, wife of a Long Eaton hairdresser, has given birth to a child five weeks after her last child was born. Both children and the mother are well.

The father is puzzling about the question as to whether they are twins, and whether he is entitled to benefit under the insurance act.

The Explanation.

WAY TELLS WHY LOCAL TENNIS MEN FALL DOWN.

STATING that there were a half-dozen Southern California tennis players whose playing would equal that of the San Francisco players who were given high ranking by the committee of the California Lawn Tennis Association last week, A. C. Way, one of the best-known tennis authorities in the State, yesterday took away a bit of the sting that the recent ranking left among the southern players. "The ranking is of no consequence," stated Way yesterday. It was made by a few northern men for northern players. Because our players could not attend the last tournament held in San Francisco they were ignored in the ranking. Bundy, Braly, Waynne, Barber, McCormick, Sinsabaugh, Browne and several others are players equal, if not superior, to the San Francisco players named by the committee. The northern men may have just an edge over our boys now because they have a great deal more practice, but if it came to a tournament they would find the southern players equal to the occasion. When the July Fourth tournament is played this will be demonstrated."

The splendid courts at Golden Gate Park are directly responsible for the excellent tennis played by the northern men, according to Way, for these players have good courts and plenty of them at any time, and consequently they may be found at play any afternoon, while the Los Angeles players have only a few inferior courts on which to play, unless they happen to be fortunate enough to belong to a country club.

"What Los Angeles needs," said Way, "is permanent courts, not cheap dirt courts where nothing but a hammer and tongs sort of game can be played, but courts of asphalt with a heavy cement base that will not crack. When the city provides such grounds then we will see tennis become one of the most popular sports of the south. It is a clean, vigorous game and should be encouraged. Good, permanent courts and plenty of them at either Exposition or Sunset parks would prove an incentive to championship play. Tennis is the game for the man in moderate circumstances."

Way stated that Johnson, Strachan, Fottrell, Griffin and Batkin, all of whom were highly rated by the California Lawn Tennis Association Ranking Committee, are Golden Gate Park players, and that they owe the excellent showing they made in the recent tournament to their daily practice.

"It was just a question of geography and not tennis that counted for ranking," said Way. "Just as Mrs. Bundy, formerly May Sutton, lost her title of world's champion because she could not attend the tournament in England each year and defend her title, she lost through default, yet there is no better woman tennis player in the world today than Mrs. Bundy."

Way stated that plans are under way at present for the recovering of the courts at the Virginia Hotel, where the July Fourth tournament will be held. When these courts are completed he says they will be as fast as any in the State.

Marshall Ketcham,

The only Los Angeles tennis player who has been given a rating by the northern committee.

THE CAUSE OF IT ALL.

The rankings:

Singles—1, William Johnston, San Francisco; 2, John Strachan, San Francisco; 3, Ellis Fottrell, San Francisco; 4, Clarence Griffin, San Francisco; 5, R. Lindley Murray, Palo Alto; 6, Byron H. Balkin, San Francisco; 7, Willis Davis, Berkeley; 8, Marshall Ketcham, Santa Monica.

STATE GETS BOXING MONEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADISON (Wis.) Dec. 15.—The State's share of boxing receipts for three and a half months under the Hedding boxing law, reached $3944 today, when a check of $782 from the State Athletic Commission was received. State Treasurer Johnson has required the Commission to submit a full detailed statement of the receipts of each contest held by the clubs.

The Ivories.

KIRKLAND WINS POCKET MATCH.

BEATS GREER IN CAREFULLY-PLAYED GAME.

Northern Expert to Remain Here and Play All Comers at Majestic. Slated to Challenge Banks for Coast Championship—Offers Odds to Opponents Meanwhile.

George Kirkland, formerly of San Francisco and Portland, last night defeated L. K. Greer, former amateur pocket billiard champion of Southern California, in a set match at the Majestic Academy, by 150 balls to 102.

A condition of the match gave the winner the right to challenge George N. Banks for the professional championship of the Pacific Coast, and Kirkland has announced his intention of carrying out the programme.

In the interim, Kirkland is engaged to meet all comers at the Majestic on every Tuesday evening, giving proper handicaps, with $5 from the house to any player beating him.

Last night's game was carefully played by both men, each making eight scratches, mostly of the safety order. Kirkland made twenty-seven misses and twenty-seven safeties. Greer missed twenty-four times, and played thirty safe shots.

Kirkland's best runs were 22, 18, 14, 11; Greer's, 14, 12, 10. The game ran sixty-two innings, and lasted two hours and three-quarters.

Scores ran fairly evenly up to the twenty-fifth inning, when Greer held forty-eight to Kirkland's forty-six, after one tie at twenty-seven balls in the sixteenth round.

Kirkland put down twenty-two balls in the twenty-sixth inning, and soon ran well away from his opponent, who claimed he was "hoodooed."

Worse Than Football.

FIFTEEN BALL PLAYERS KILLED DURING YEAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Fifteen deaths constituted the toll in baseball games during 1913, according to figures compiled and published here today. The report shows that the greatest death toll was in Chicago, where three persons were killed by pitched balls.

Twelve of the victims were killed by being hit in the head by the ball direct from the hands of the pitcher. Foul tips were responsible for the other three deaths. The report points out that none of the major league players received fatal injuries.

Following is the list of the fatalities:

May 18—B. Parroto, Chicago.
May 23—V. Faught, Cozad, Neb.
May 24—J. Bauschkwitz, Baltimore.
May 30—F. Greenwald, Holland, N. Y.
June 1—C. Brown, Chicago.
June 2—Wiggins, Kearney, N. J.
June 2—F. Smith, Anacortes, Wash.
June 2—F. C. Whittemore, Jr., New Haven, Ct.
June 3—J. D. Gillespie, Chattanooga, Tenn.
June 13—J. Whetstone, New Orleans.
June 5—M. Ruth, Jacksonville, Ind.
June 22—F. W. Reed, Harvey, Ill.
June 25—M. McCoy, Chicago.
August 30—L. Roberts, Philadelphia.

MORLEY BEATS BOWERS.

Bowers became the opponent of Jim Morley in the latter's drawing for opponents to his open challenge last night, and on naming pocket billiards as his forte, was beaten by fifty balls to forty. Morley made high run of thirteen. He is to continue these open games all the week.

Snubbed, b'Gosh!

Local stars

Of the tennis world, who were denied a rating by the northern committee.

SOX PLANS READY FOR SPRING TRIP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Harry Grabiner, President Comiskey's right hand man, today announced that the White Sox special will leave Chicago on the night of February 19, bound for Paso Robles, the spring training camp. The athletes are carded to reach the conditioning ground early the following Monday, when the work of preparing for the 1914 pennant fight will be started.

Next.

CADILLAC STAR AT MOTOR SALON

Don Lee Plans Immense Exhibit for Auto Show.

Oldfield, Earle Cooper and Teddy Tetzlaff There.

Floor Space Is Being Sold in Large-Sized Chunks.

An automobile show that will be second to none is to be held in the Grand Avenue Rink the week of January 5. Over 8000 square feet of space has been sold and before the show opens the entire 13,000 feet will have been disposed of. Manager Walter Hempel is kept busy every day arranging for the display which will be one of the handsomest that it is possible to arrange.

Don Lee is to be the star performer in this exhibit. The Cadillac man has the banner space and will occupy the center of the floor with twelve handsome cars. He has taken the opportunity to exhibit the Cadillac in such a way that not only the stripped chassis, but the completed car will be exhibited to the many boosters and Cadillac owners, as well as thousands of prospects who believe the Cadillac is the only car built.

The Cadillac distributor is in San Francisco. He will spend the greater part of his time between now and the opening of the show in the Bay City attending to a mass of business. He will be here however for show week and will spend each day at the exhibit where he will keep close tab of the prospects that are secured in order to demonstrate to himself that he has really been wise in selecting so large a space in an exhibit where the Motor Car Dealers Association has not taken space.

Walter M. Brown is another dealer who has taken a large space in the motor car salon. He will exhibit the entire Stutz line and will show the roadster and the touring car, as his centerpiece. In addition to the handsome 1914 models a stripped chassis will be exhibited and the transmission and engine parts will be seen in operation. Brown is preparing an exhibit that should be unique in every detail.

SIMPLEX-MERCER.

The Simplex-Mercer Company will exhibit the Simplex and Mercer cars in the different types and will show them on a large space. The new 1914 models are as handsome as any in the market and will be exhibited in a show where the high and low-priced cars are to be grouped with an interesting setting. The Simplex touring car and the Mercer gentleman roadster are well worth seeing and will be shown in the 1914 models at this salon for the first time.

As an added attraction Barney Oldfield will exhibit his Mercer racer, the car in which he may drive the Vanderbilt Cup Race. This new 1914 racer is said to be one of the most striking cars that even the speed king has used and will be shown with its long rakish hood, its high-powered motor and its interesting lines which should make this car one of the most spectacular ever seen on a racing course.

Earl P. Cooper also will be seen at the show. His Stutz racer, the car in which he plunged through the fence at San Jose and the machine that has carried him into the ranks as the world's best motor road race driver, will occupy a part of the space allotted to Walter M. Brown. This car won the Tacoma races, the Santa Monica and the Corona road races and is one of the machines that has a history all its own.

AUBURN ALSO.

W. J. Burt is planning to make a complete exhibit of Auburn cars. Burt, it will be remembered, is one of the dealers who has steadfastly hung to the one car and this year he is coming into his own with the handsome Auburn line. Here by the way is a factory that has not even the breath of suspicion of a rumpus and Burt is holding down the lid in preparation for a campaign that will send his 1914 Auburn line into the lists with the longest and strongest bid for popularity that the handsome agent has ever made.

the way of a touring car and roadster at the correct price.

Others who have signed and paid for space in this show are California Moline Plow Company, who will exhibit the Cartercar and the International; the Sparks-Miller Company will exhibit the Chandler Six; the Moon Motor Car Company the Moon; L. F. Benton the McFarlan Six; H. E. Felt the Standard Electric; the Pioneer Commercial Auto Company the White; the Pathfinder Motor Company the Pathfinder; the C and S Auto Company their Marathon line; the F. S. Mitchell the Borland electric. These exhibits, with a number of others now in prospect, will make a splendid show.

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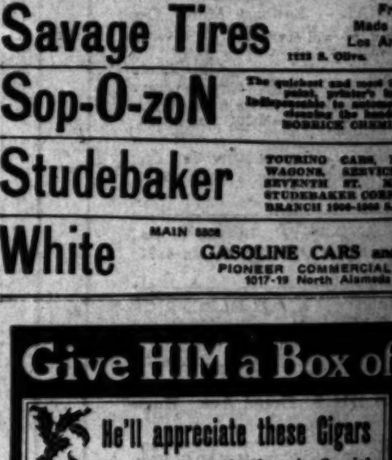

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Have You Been Christmas Shopping With the Wife Yet?—By Gale.

He Ought to Know.

VAN COURT THINKS THE OLD-TIMER IS WAY OFF.

Bud Anderson or Any Other Slugger Can Be Taught to Box Cleverly—Jeffries Couldn't Box Well When He Entered the Ring—Many Clever Men Could Slug, Declares Veteran Instructor.

BY DE WITT VAN COURT.

I SEE an old-timer who claims to be well posted on the boxing game says that it is impossible to teach a man like Bud Anderson to be a clever boxer. He also says that Bud is not hitting but a hard punch, and since a man has more than this the job of making him clever would be time wasted.

I agree with the old-timer in one thing only and that is that Bud has nothing but a hard punch. But I disagree with him when he says it would be a fruitless job to make a clever boxer out of Anderson.

He also says that any time a hard-hitter attempts to be clever he is compelled to sacrifice his punch to do so. Old-timer, you are wrong again.

The cleanest, hardest and best wallop I have been handed out by the game boys.

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Bud and Jeff.

To make this plainer, we will compare Bud Anderson and Jim Jeffries. When Jeff started into the professional boxing game, he was as clumsy, as ungainly and as dumb a boxer as Bud. Jim had a head on him and soon discovered that he had to learn the fine points of the game to make good. He then backed up with a terrific punch that above all could take a licking without flinching.

He learned to box, and before he finished his career became one of the greatest boxers in the heavyweight class. This was proven conclusively, the first time he met and defeated Jim Corbett.

In watching Anderson in four of his contests that I have seen, I discovered that there were two things that came to Bud naturally. He was a hard hitter and a good judge of time, on the other hand he had a miserable judgment of distance, a poor sense of his body and was slow in his actions in delivering a blow.

Bud does not have to cultivate a punch. He has that. He counters well, but can improve 1000 per cent. with the right kind of practice. He can develop speed on his feet by the right kind of footwork, and improve in his judgment of distance by adopting the right method.

He is simply applying himself in the wrong way.

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Bud makes little attempt at defensive work. He has never been taught it. I agree with old-timer when he says that a boxer should be allowed to box according to his own natural style. But his natural style can be wonderfully improved by the right kind of coaching.

The old-timer says again, "Imagine Jim Jeffries trying to box like Tom Sharkey and imagine Tom trying to box as cleverly as Jim."

Now, old-timer, take Jim Corbett's style away from him and where would he be? Then again take Sharkey's cleverness and staying powers away from him and how far do you think he would have gone?

On the other hand, give Corbett some of Sharkey's strength and Tom some of Corbett's cleverness and what would you have? Each would have been far much better than they were.

Jim Corbett was taught to box, so were George Dixon, Packy McFarland and Joe Gans. Abe Attell learned by constant study and practice, but could have been taught a lot more than he knew. Take the cleverness from any of these fellows and how far do you imagine they would have gone.

Kid Lavigne, Battling Nelson and Ad Wolgast were anything but clever boxers. Take the stamina away from any of these fellows and what is left? Nothing.

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Bud's Trouble.

Old Timer also says that Bud is a slow thinker. This may be true, but I doubt it. The trouble with Bud is that he thinks quick enough, but does not know what to do at the right time and further more, does not know how to do it.

Boxers can be taught cleverness as easily as they can be taught to hit hard. While it is not possible to make clever boxers out of all, they can be developed wonderfully by right teaching and methods.

Packy McFarland has been dubbed the "Beauty Pug" by some of the Milwaukee boxing fans, because he does not like to get marked up. Why should Packy get marked up if he can prevent it by clever boxing? He is the wealthiest boxer in the game today and the biggest drawing card. Why? Because he is clever.

Why were Joe Gans, Jim Corbett, Abe Attell, Tommy Ryan, Jack Dempsey, and many other boxers drawing cards? Was it for their ability to take punishment? I should say not.

Bud Anderson seems to have a good level head on his husky shoulders, but until he learns to box much more cleverly than he does at the present time I do not look for him to get much farther in the boxing game.

As for hard hitters, who were any harder hitters for their build and weight than Abe Attell, Tommy Ryan, Joe Gans and Kid McCoy?

No, Old Timer, Bud can learn many things about the boxing game that he never dreamed of, if he is clever enough to study them out.

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Goodman Willing.

Danny Goodman, the well-known eastern lightweight, writes to Maurie Rauch, who is looking after his interests on the Coast, that he will come to Los Angeles shortly after the holidays. Goodman claims to have had 110 amateur contests and 115 professional goes and says he never has been knocked out. Goodman has met such men as Johnny Coulon, Ad Wolgast, Tommy Mowatt, Charlie White, Jack Redmond, Phil Brock, Harry Trendall, Clarence Forbes and many other well-known eastern boxers. Rauch says Danny is willing to meet any lightweight on the Coast.

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Dalton-Watson.

Kid Dalton will meet Red Watson in Taft on the 20th inst. in a twenty-round contest. Frank Fields, the well-known boxing promoter of Taft, is looking after Red. There is much interest taken in this contest up in the oil country.

Pomona Wins.

(Continued from First Page.)

ball flew, only to be blocked when it came to grounding the ball for a loss by a wildly-fighting bunch of men in black.

On the fourth attempt, Gilbert took the ball from under the very feet of the charging Pally breakers and managed to get to his waiting backs. Then the first five's head it sailed to Creswell, who turned darted three yards, passed to Smith, at center three, who in his turn gave to Buck, the fullback.

Like a fiend gone mad, this fighting red devil battered his way through the line and nothing short of a cannon ball would have stopped him. Surely little Full-back Parker lifted at the posts and sent the ball sailing through the uprights for the two points; count, Pomona, 5; Palo Alto, 0.

PALO ALTO SCORES.

The wild joy of the home guard was short-lived, as after the kick off Palo Alto team by brilliant brace. Sweeping their backs from their feet, the game little men from the north ripped through the 25-yard line, blocking and intercepting passes.

A beautiful passing rush took the ball to the 10-yard line after a scrum and a fumbled kick. From here this same rush gave Palo Alto their first score, Wallace taking it over and skirting four tacklers and finally diving behind the posts. Phippin converted, tying the score at 5-all.

Time was called soon after this play for the first half.

We now come to the second half. Gentlemen, sit tight, wild times are in store. The teams swapped goals and Pomona received the kick.

Will Pomona come back? was the question on every lip as the teams came together for the first play. Apparently they did, for in a flash the ball was on Pally's 10-yard line, but again this sturdy little fellow, Pratt, kicked out of danger.

TIDE TURNS AGAIN.

Once again the tide of battle turned. All the way from the shadow of their own goal the thin black line fought to the center of the field. A free kick for Pally and a great boot by Wallace put the ball on Pomona's 25-yard line. A line-out followed. Risling took the ball as Card leaped high in the air and intercepted the throw-in, and passed to Green. Green swerved and dodged his way to the 15-yard line, then, as he was tackled, gave to Sheldon, who slipped over the goal line with apparent ease. Phippin kicked the goal, putting the score Palo Alto, 10; Pomona, 5.

The gloom filtered deep over the field. Bravely the band played and the rooters cheered, but it looked bad. Palo Alto had shown a remarkable burst of speed and class.

Then in the twinkling of an eye the whole complexion of the battle had again changed. The kick-off resulted in a scrum in the center of the field for a Pomona off-side. It was a critical period if Pomona stayed beaten for a minute the game and the title would go north again; the two scrums smashed together, then, like a loosened pack of wolf hounds the Pomona forwards tore after the ball. It went to the thirty-yard line, then to the twenty-five and finally was stopped by a madly diving Pally man on his own ten-yard mark.

POMONA TIES SCORE.

Sharply the teams clashed and the ball went a little nearer to the invaders' goal. A five-yard scrum was called, the red forwards heaved and Capt. Gilbert secured the drifting ball as it came stealing out of the Pomona scrum at the heels of a madly-fighting squad of boys, and like a blinding flash of light, he was around and over the goal line for a try. Parker kicked the goal, tying the score at 10 all.

The two teams lined up for the kick off with it all to do over once more. From this point on this chronicle has to do with a Waterloo. With the long evening shadows creeping over the field, the sun gilding the snow-capped mountains in a last good-night blaze of glory, and the black storm clouds rolling down from the north, like impending doom; the Palo Alto team stood facing defeat, as did that famous French general years ago after he had tried all his skill, power, might and the flower of his host on the thin, red line, without avail.

Twenty minutes of the half remained to be played and it was a bitter twenty for those boys who had come 500 miles to fight for a championship.

One last burst of fury on the part of the Pally lads took the ball to Pomona's ten-yard line, then the force of their charge broke, scattered as the spray on a rock-bound shore.

THE DEMON AROUSED.

Like demons the Red line awoke; sixty yards the Pomona forwards dribbled down the field. Bitterly the Palo Alto boys fought back, but their kicks and passes were shattered and counted for nothing. Finally Nesbit blocked a kick and the ball was on Pally's 20-yard line. The scrum took the ball to the 5-yard line and then once again the Red pack heeled out to Gilbert, who passed to Buck, who went over in the far corner of the field. If was a hard goal and Parker missed it, the score being: Pomona, 13, Palo Alto, 10.

After the next kickoff and some terrible battling, a Pomona passing rush over forty-five yards carried the ball to the line and Smith went over again in the same old far corner. Parker missed the difficult goal, making the score 18 to 10.

After the drop out, Pomona rushed the play to the Pally 5-yard line and Creswell secured on the second scrum here and went over for another try. This time Parker had more than two feet to shoot at and kicked the goal, making the score 21 to 10.

The next score was made by Creswell, after a long dribbling rush down the field, when he secured a kick on the fly and ripped over the line after a 25-yard run. This was made in the bad corner and Parker missed the goal, making the score 24 to 10.

From a tight, hotly-contested battle, the game had changed into a hopeless rout. Like a stream of seething lava, the red players sifted, fought and ripped through the now sadly sagging and broken Black defense.

THE LAST SCORE.

The last score was made by Buck, who, coming down the side like a wild thing, jumped high in the air and intercepted one of Pratt's boots, hit mother earth running and was over the goal line in the twinkling of an eye for the last try of the game.

It was again in the difficult corner and Parker missed an almost impossible shot, making the final score: Pomona, 27; Palo Alto, 10. The king is dead, long live the king!

The line-up was as follows:

Pomona.		Palo Alto.
Huston	Front rank	Slocum
Baker		Arnett
Richards		Phippin
Varcoe	Side rank	Alderton
Nesbit		Gibson
Leadingham	Breakaway	Sherman
Martin	Lock	Card (c)
Blecher	Breakaway	Kirksey
Gilbert (c)	Half	Risling
Creswell	First five	Green
Avis	Second five	Sheldon
Smith	Center three	Morse
Buck	Right wing	Wallace
Harris	Left wing	Weeks
Parker	Full	Pratt

Time of halves, 40 minutes.
Referee—L. S. Reading.
Tries by Pomona—Buck, 3; Creswell, 2; Gilbert, 1; Smith, 1. Converts—Parker, 3.
Tries by Palo Alto—Wallace, 1; Sheldon, 1. Converts—Phippin, 2.

COBB'S BAT SWIPED WITH OTHER STUFF

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

DETROIT, (Mich.) Dec. 15.—The home of Frank Brady, property man of the Detroit baseball club, was robbed last week of baseball paraphernalia and souvenirs belonging to Detroit players. The house had been closed for some time and the robbery was not discovered until tonight.

Among articles stolen were two of Ty Cobb's favorite bats.

Many of the things taken were souvenirs prized by ball players, including the glove worn by George Mullin, former member of the Detroit team, when he pitched the only no-hit game of his major league career.

A Good Idea.

FELLOWS WOULD SEE CUP BEFORE HE DEFENDS IT.

BY E. D. SEWARD.

JOE FELLOWS, owner of the fast hydroplane Fellows II, the defender of the Frank A. Garbutt trophy for the free-for-all race around Santa Catalina Island, has refused the challenge of Harry Vorhauer and C. L. Hancock, owners of Bull Pup III, on the ground that the trophy has never been put up by the donor.

The challenge of Vorhauer and Hancock was sent to the South Coast Yacht Club, as this club has charge of the race. A copy of the challenge was forwarded to Mr. Fellows, who yesterday replied to the club in the following communication:

"WILMINGTON, Cal., Dec. 15.

"South Coast Yacht Club.

"Dear Sirs: In regard to the challenge of Mr. Vorhauer around Catalina Island, would say that I decline to race again for the Garbutt trophy until it is put up, as I think three years is time enough for any one to get up a trophy if they intend to. But if the South Coast will put up a cup or Vorhauer wants to race, I will go in for any old thing and be right there on the starting line on time.

"JOE FELLOWS."

As to whether the fast boats can now be put into a race remains to be seen. The race as outlined by Mr. Garbutt when the terms of the deed of gift were printed provided for a free-for-all event and provoked much enthusiasm among owners of fast motor boats. The initial race in 1911 brought out six or eight entrants, Mr. Garbutt himself entering his Mystery. Joe, in his little Campbell, out-distanced them all, beating Charlie Fulton's Klattawa by a scant seventeen seconds, as he crossed the finishing line at the end of the breakwater. Warren Wood then challenged the victor and was badly beaten, his Iroquois being some sixteen minutes behind the Campbell at the finish. Then came Ahren brothers in the fast Mary A., but engine trouble put them to the bad, and Joe came in ahead by twenty-six minutes.

Everyone presumed that Joe received the cup, which he had won and twice successfully defended, but such was not the case, evidently, as he now affirms that neither he nor the club ever got so much as a peep at it.

Garbutt made the following explanation to The Times last night of the failure of Fellows to receive the Garbutt trophy:

"Being a perpetual challenge cup, of course, the Garbutt trophy will naturally go to the South Coast Yacht Club and not to Fellows personally.

"There have been a number of delays in having the engraving done, especially in the preparation of the case. The trophy is nearly done and will be delivered to the club in a short time."

The Chamber of Commerce of Wilmington is planning for a big motor boat race on the date of their celebration of the opening of the American-Hawaiian steamship line in January. As to whether the event will be a free-for-all or a handicap event has not yet been decided. But in either case it is expected that all of the fast motor craft of the bay will participate.

James V. Baldwin with a party of friends left the South Coast Yacht Club anchorage at 5 o'clock yesterday morning on his power cruiser Maumee for Catalina Island, where several days will be spent fishing and gathering holly for holiday decoration.

The commodious clubhouse of the South Coast Yacht Club at Station "A," East Newport, was the scene Saturday night of a most enjoyable party, the occasion being the visit of the mother club to the station. The local members, headed by Chairman W. W. Wilson, were out in force and soon made the visitors at home. The ball at the clubhouse was one of the most enjoyable of the many social events which have been held at Newport, the dancing holding forth until a late hour, after which the visitors were entertained informally at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. Furnished houses had been provided for the guests and the "house parties" held forth even after the honors had been dispensed at the Wilson home.

A few courageous ones went duck-shooting early Sunday morning, but the most of the crowd were content to wait for the launch ride about noon, when Port Captain Fred W. Beckwith took the visitors over the bay and back waters of the inlet.

Among the guests were Commodore C. E. W. Hubbell, Mrs. Hubbell, Miss Lila Hubbell, Rex Hubbell and party, Fred Fitch, Vice-Commodore Albert Solland, Mrs. Solland, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Mellen, Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Killilan, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Seward, Herbert E. Carse and Wilbur Bassett.

GOLF GOSSIP.

BY BONNIE GLESSNER.

What might be termed a preliminary bout to the big golf match which is to be staged at the Virginia C.C. next Monday was played off yesterday when the three Martin brothers, the golf professionals of the Virginia and the Los Angeles Country clubs, and the Simpson brothers, the visiting golf professionals, met in two eighteen-hole matches at the Virginia C.C.

Jim Simpson and George Martin turned in the best cards, their scores being 173 each. Hutton Martin, Ernest Martin and Bob Simpson each scored 145.

Because of the sweeping challenge issued by the Simpson brothers that they would play any two other golf professionals who were brothers, on any course, at any time, which challenge was immediately accepted by the Martin brothers, the match between the Martins and the Simpsons, to be commenced next Monday over the Virginia course, is certain to be an interesting one.

So eager for the match was Bob Simpson that when he first heard of the splendid playing of the Martin boys he immediately telegraphed for his brother, Jim, who holds the Wisconsin championship, to spend his vacation in California and play the professional match. Jim answered that he was willing to meet the Martins, even in their own back yard, and so the match was arranged.

The first game will be played Monday at the Virginia C.C. and the second half at the Midwick C.C. course, owing to the fact that a number of the members of Midwick have asked the Simpson boys to play their half of the match over that course.

Bob Simpson was the professional who represented America at the international golf match held in Mexico City, winning against England.

The December golf tournament, which is being played off at Annandale C.C., is fast drawing to a close. The first half of the semi-finals have been played, R. C. Garts and W. K. Jewett winning their match from H. J. Fish and F. R. Harris, 4 and 2. The last match of the second round was won by Frank D. Tatum and W. D. Card, who defeated C. H. Bentley and C. S. Byington yesterday afternoon with a score of 1 up. Tatum and Card will play E. M. Mackey and A. S. Ormsby Wednesday afternoon. The finals of this tournament will be played off the latter part of the week.

A number of cards have been turned in for the two-round eighteen-hole match play against bogey for place on the Annandale team. The cards to date for the first round are: M. P. Mears, even; Lincoln Clark, 4 up; A. A. French, 9 up; R. C. Garts, even; C. S. Byington, 5 down; C. H. Biggar, 2 up; E. C. Kammermeyer, 4 down; W. K. Jewett, 3 up; H. C. Chaffee, 7 down; Carleton Wright, 4 down. C. H. Biggar finished his second round yesterday, his score being even.

Waiters' Queer Custom.

[New York Tribune:] "Did you ever notice," asked the experienced restaurateur, "that when one man is giving a dinner to another the waiter upon opening a bottle of wine generally pours a little into the glass of the host and then proceeds to fill the other man's glass to the top? If you asked the waiter why he did that he probably would be unable to tell you, but as a matter of fact it is a survival of feudal days, when life was held somewhat more lightly than today. It is intended to give the host an opportunity of taking the first taste of wine, in order to assure his guest that it is not poisoned."

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PORTALS OF CHANSLOR-LYON COMPANY ARE OPEN.

BY BERT C. SMITH.

JUST in time for the holiday rush the new headquarters of the Chanslor and Lyon Company was opened yesterday. The handsome structure at Twelfth street and Grand avenue is an ideal place for one of the largest motor supply houses in this country. The stock of goods on hand gives you a desire to own a motor car and then supply that car from the Chanslor & Lyon stock of goods.

One of the surprises will come this season from the amount of motor goods sold for the Christmas trade. Everything that delights the heart of the autoist can be found either on the shelves or in the show-cases at this new store. Class in every line is shown from the auto horn to the pair of goggles and from the motor coat to the hamper for that picnic which you are planning to take.

Phil Lyon is happy. He says he never did have a chance to do the amount of business he had planned in the smaller store. He wanted more elbow room, more desk room and more telephone space. The orders came in so rapidly, and this is a fact, that his desk was constantly piled high with matter that meant a herculean task to wade through. Now he is happy in an office that is in keeping with the size of the store.

Waller Chanslor is somewhat different. He is sentimental. He never has quite gotten over the tragedy of last Christmas, when his little son, Waller Chanslor, Jr., chopping down a cherry tree, missed the mark and slaughtered his pet pup. So sentimental is the handsome member of the Chanslor and Lyon Company that he just hates to leave that old store on Main street, where the concern has done so much business. His sentiment is so strong that he will keep the place open just to show his friends how much he likes the old landmarks.

An invitation that is unique was sent to me and to hundreds of other patrons of the Chanslor and Lyon Company. It is so good and reads so well that it is hard to believe either Waller or Phil framed it up. Here it is, and you can judge for yourselves:

To Bert Smith,
Auto Editor, The Times.

We move tonight. Open Monday in our handsome new building, corner Twelfth and Grand. Cordial invitation extended you to call and help us christen our new quarters. Plenty of refreshments in the way of new and superior goods; superior prices; superior service. Concert of pleased expressions from thousands of satisfied customers expected. Your reliable friends, Mr. Lee Tire, Hon. Stromberg Carburetor, Col. Hess-Bright Bearings, Dr. Hartford Shock Absorber, Senator Harris Oils, and others will be on hand to greet you. If you can't call Monday, you'll get just as cordial a reception any other day—but let it be soon. Don't forget the new address.

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Troublesome Joe.

JOE TINKER'S CASE STILL TROUBLES THE MAGNATES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI, (O.) Dec. 15.—Two players, a pitcher and an outfielder, together with $25,000 in cash are now asked from the Brooklyn club by the Cincinnati club in exchange for the services of Shortstop Joe Tinker instead of the straight sale of the player to the Brooklyn club for $25,000 as had been arranged by Presidents Herrmann and Ebbets last week.

This action was decided on today after the board of directors of the Cincinnati club had overruled the action of President Herrmann in making the deal. Following the receipt of a telegram from President Ebbets in which he said he expected the Cincinnati club to fulfill its end of the agreement Mr. Herrmann wired that the directors were not satisfied with the cash sale of Tinker and asked for a choice of pitchers Ragon and Tingling and Outfielders Moran and Stengel with a cash bonus of $15,000.

It is understood that the Cincinnati club directors objected to paying $10,000 to Tinker out of the $25,000 to be received for him and want Brooklyn players instead.

WHAT JOE THINKS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[BY A. P. Night Wire to The Times.] Joe Tinker, deposed manager of the Cincinnati National League ball club, and Charles W. Murphy, president of the Chicago club, thought tonight that as a result of the failure of the directors of the Cincinnati club to ratify Tinker's sale to Brooklyn, Tinker would play with Chicago next year.

Announcement that the Cincinnati club would insist on a trade involving the acquisition of two players instead of a cash sale, is believed to have confirmed the ball player in his determination to play in Chicago.

Murphy tonight mailed August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati club a list of the reserve Chicago players whom he is willing to offer in trade for Tinker.

Trouble Ahead.

L.A.A.C. PLAYS OLYMPIC CLUB TEAM NEXT SUNDAY.

THE most successful athletic season the south has ever witnessed will reach its climax next Sunday afternoon when the north and south, as represented by the Los Angeles Athletic Club and the Olympic Club of San Francisco, meet in the greatest football game of the year at Washington Park.

It will cost more than a thousand dollars to bring the San Francisco boys down here, but both clubs and the colleges and schools of the north and south are confident that this game will be for the Pacific Coast what the Harvard and Yale game is to the East.

It will be an annual event, the game being played in San Francisco next year.

On both teams will be the flower of the gridiron. Not a man in either aggregation but has been a star on some other team, and these veterans of a hundred battles are better now than ever. Their years of experience are supplemented with the vigor of manhood in its prime.

GOOD LOCATION.

Washington Park, where the great game will be played, is, according to Capt. Mow Mitchell of L.A.A.C., the only place in Southern California affording a full-sized turf Rugby field. Coach Higgins of U.S.C. has pronounced it ideal for the game, and with the central location, the near-by space for parking cars, and the splendid trolley facilities, a record-breaking crowd will be sure to see this, the greatest game of the football season.

Both teams are just nearing the close of a strenuous season and are keyed up to highest pitch, but will continue hard practice up to the day of the game. The L.A.A.C. boys will practice tonight in the club gym and tomorrow afternoon at Washington Park, and it is expected that on this day the men will be assigned their positions by Capt. Mitchell.

A glance at the playing squad gives football lovers an idea of the superlative excellence of both teams, as not a man on either side but is known the length and breadth of the Coast for his prowess.

GOOD PLAYERS.

There will be some wonderful players in both line-ups Sunday afternoon. For L.A.A.C. the forwards will in all likelihood be "Al" Walton, "Jim" Reynolds, Swarts, Teschke and Boyle.

Walton used to play in England, and is one of the best dribblers in this part of the country, while Reynolds made his mark at Stanford University, his line-outs being particularly classy.

Swarts is a former U.S.C. boy, played on the varsity, and is handy with the boot, while Teschke, also of U.S.C., has been for three years rated as the best forward hereabouts. Boyle is there, too.

The list of backs looks like an all-American team. It includes "Herm" Alber, captain of this year's football team, who boasts a splendid boot, and Leo Maguire, formerly of L. A. High, and the best full-back in the south.

Then there is Mow Mitchell, captain of the L.A.A.C. team, and who was for two years captain of the all-America team, and his brother, Stan Mitchell, and Phil Harrigan, both of whom won their spurs at Stanford. "Pike" Brant of L. A. High is also on the list, together with Pat Higgins, the well-known coach, who learned his game in Australia.

OLYMPIC TEAM.

The Olympic team is equally classy. The forwards, for example, include "Tough" Anell of the Stanford varsity and all-American team, "Pete" Skov, captain, who is a crack wing forward; "Mike" Brown, one of Stanford's best men; Jack Partridge, also of Stanford; Doc Shaupp of the all-American; Noonan of Santa Clara, Bert Schwartz of California varsity, and Guerin.

Among the backs will be found "Stan" Forbes and Mickey Forbes, two clever lads from Berkeley High; Harry Lunt, Harry McKenzie of Santa Clara, a great defense man; Stubby Stolz, who played at Stanford and in Oxford, Eng., and Best of Santa Clara, who is both fast and clever.

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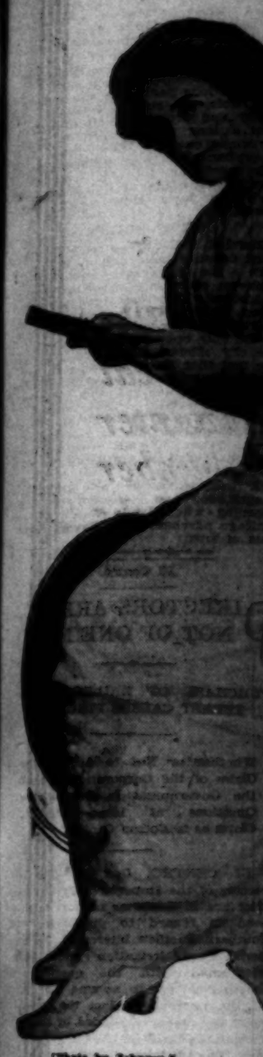

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Miss Anna

of Lexington, Ky., who has been visi sightseeing

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MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

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Miss Anna Clay Tarter,

Lexington, Ky., who has been visiting friends in this city, and who is now sightseeing in the Orient.

The holidays will be filled with many parties given in compliment to the young girls and boys returning from school for their mid-winter vacations, and hostesses planning fine functions will allow the attendants to dance to their heart's content. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Clark, Jr., of West Twenty-eighth street, will entertain for their young daughter, Miss Margaret, who is expected home today from the Bishop's School at La Jolla. This party will take place on the 27th inst., and the invited guests include members of the young crowd only. Another pleasing affair will be the dancing party given by Mrs. George P. Griffith at her home on Orchard avenue, when she will entertain young people in honor of her two sons, Richard and George, who are returning from Thatcher's School at Nordhoff. The 29th inst., has been decided upon for this event.

For Miss Drake.

Mrs. Granville MacGowan of West Adams street, has issued cards for a dancing party to be given December 30 at the California Club. Miss Daphne Drake, who was introduced this season, will be present as honoree.

Another Debutante Honored.

Miss Dorothy Lindley, the attractive young daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Lindley, will preside January 2, at a delightful dancing party, which she will give in compliment to Miss Constance Byrne, a debutante of this year. Miss Lindley, who has not yet made her debut, will be assisted by her mother.

Dr. Phelps Returns.

Rev. Arthur S. Phelps, D.D., Mrs. Phelps and their daughter, Miss Celeste, will sail December 14, on the George Washington, from Southampton, Eng., for New York. They will spend the Christmas holidays with their son, Dryden L. Phelps, who entered Yale University last fall and visit relatives and friends in New York, Philadelphia and Boston, returning to Los Angeles in January or February, probably.

Dr. Phelps has been preaching and lecturing in many of the principal cities of England, Scotland and Wales, for three months. He is preparing lectures on "Japanese Fairyland," "India's Romance" and "Around the World in Eighty Minutes," the stereopticon slides made in Yokohoma. They have traveled in twenty-five countries.

Kelly-Parker.

Heber R. Kelly and Miss Ina M. Parker were married at noon on the 11th inst. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Addison J. Parker, on North Griffin avenue. The Episcopal ceremony was read by Rev. E. L. Howe, rector of Epiphany Church, in the presence of the immediate relatives. After the wedding breakfast the couple left for a short honeymoon trip to San Diego. They will be at home to their friends after December 20 at No. 2917 Bernice avenue, this city.

Miss Busch to Entertain.

Miss Amy Busch, one of the most charming of the young girls yet to make their debut, will be hostess Thursday at a luncheon party of twelve covers. Miss Busch will entertain at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Busch of Portland street, and she will honor Miss Louise Hunt, who will make her debut at a large reception on Saturday. The young hostess has planned a Dresden party and the table appointments will be dainty. January 2, Miss Busch will entertain with another luncheon. Miss Josephine Lacy and Miss Katherine Flint, two brides-to-be, will be complimented guests. Thirty-five friends will be present.

Large Tea.

Mrs. William H. Bonsall and her daughters, Mrs. Thomas P. Newton and Mrs. Samuel N. Bonsall, will be hostesses Friday at a tea party given at the residence of Mrs. Newton on West Adams street. The receiving hours are from 4:30 to 7 o'clock.

Miss Drake to Wed.

An important January wedding will be that of Miss Marguerite Drake, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Charles Rivers Drake of South Hoover street, and Charles William Kemmler, Jr., who have chosen the 31st for the service, which will be read in St. John's. Miss Pinita Drake has been asked to assist as maid of honor and Mrs. John Kingsley Macomber will be matron. The attractive maids will be Miss Evangeline Duque, Miss Daphne Drake, Miss Angelita Phillips, Miss Katherine Stearns and Miss Otilia Lane of San Francisco. Roy Seeley will serve as best man and the ushers will be Kingsley Macomber, Van Kelsey, George Reed, Thomas Duque, Marshall Beggs of San Francisco, Harold Sutherland and Sumner Macomber also from the northern city.

Mrs. Elliott Entertains.

Members of a Five Hundred Luncheon Club were entertained by Mrs. Karl Elliott of Elliott place, Thursday afternoon. A centerpiece for the luncheon table was formed of clusters of Mme. Chatney roses, and the same flowers were used in the decoration of the home. Cards marking covers were Christmas bells in the pink and gold coloring. Members present were Mrs. W. H. Hendrickson, Mrs. Warren Hendrickson, Mrs. Ralph Skillen, Mrs. Walter Austin, Mrs. Henry Monahan, Mrs. O. C. Buddington and Mrs. A. P. Stocking, all of Pasadena; Mrs. L. V. Martin, Mrs. C. E. Sellers, Mrs. E. Hunsberger, Mrs. L. Morris and Mrs. William Hoxworth Potter of this city.

At Sierra Madre Club.

The annual banquet of the Lance and Lute, an honor society of U.S.C., composed of young people who take part in the junior class plays, and who are elected to membership according to the work they have done in the play, occurred last evening at the Sierra Madre Club. Six cut glass vases filled with showers of red carnations centered the table, and the place cards were indicative of the three different plays represented, "The Servant in the House," "The Melting Pot" and "The Man from Home." Everett Mattoon presided as toastmaster, calling upon Miss Wright to respond to the toast, "The Future of the Lance and Lute;" Graham Hunter, "Better Ideals of Lance and Lute." Members present included Prof. and Mrs. Natkempher, Miss Mildred Finch, Miss Bertha Hollister, Miss Alegra Johnson, Miss Dorothy Betts, Miss Helen Kalliwoda, Miss Lucy Hummel, Miss Beulah Wright, Miss Anna St. John and Messrs. Irwin Tribby, Ray Murray, Emory Foster, Owen Emory, Everett Mattoon, Cloyd Marvin, Graham Hunter, Fred Watkins and Roe Barrett.

Luncheon at Hotel Green.

Marked by most elaborate decorations was the luncheon given by Mrs. John Henry Pearman of Pasadena, at Hotel Green, Tuesday. Big shaggy yellow chrysanthemums formed the centerpiece for the table, and scattered over the cloth were masses of fragrant violets and quantities of violet tulle ribbon with huge bows. The French room in which the luncheon was served was festooned with smilax from the ceiling and forming curtains over the window. Hand-painted cards with Japanese scenes marked covers for twenty-two guests among which were the hostess and Mmes. Vedder, Snowball, Clough, Halsey, Bishop, Cochrane, Wardman McLaughlin, Holmes, Norman Foote Marsh, A. E. Edwards and Henry Sherry.

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The Reviews.

CANDY SHOP; LITTLE WOMEN.

New Girl Show Pleases at the Morosco.

Miss Alcott's Charming Story at Majestic.

Takes Critic Back to Golden Days of Yesteryear.

BY HENRY CHRISTEEN WARNACK

"The Candy Shop," brought to Los Angeles by the Anderson Gaiety Company, with William Rock and Maude Fulton as the headliners, delivered the goods at its first performance at the Morosco last night, and the people ate it up. It is a fair show of its sort, although I may not be a fair judge of that, as the best in the world of that kind would be a tragedy to me, even when paid to sit it through.

People think differently. It is the sort of thing that does not make them think. It even brings them unthinking laughter without going deep enough to be called mirth. It rattles through its two parts with cheerful platter-clatter, shapely shapes, much light comedy, and many tricks of spotlight. Moreover, the people in the big company are all top-notchers of eastern fame, the chorus is abundant and consists of pretty girls with useful limbs and acceptable voices, and the music, if devoid of fineness or charm, has an unquestionable gaiety which sets the feet a-tingle.

The company did not arrive yesterday afternoon until 5:00, and the curtain did not go up last night until 9. Since it was the first night, the audience came late anyway, and did not mind the delay.

The company's cleverness and the rollicking music caught them from the first and they remained until 11:30 without a lapse of interest. At the end of the first act they gave the visitors a big hand, lifting the curtain four or five times.

Frances White, a Los Angeles girl, has one of the sweetest voices of the cast. Gene Luneska makes a genuine merry widow, and Al Shea, an old favorite, as Saul Wright, a tailor, is a show in himself.

Why it is called "The Candy Shop" is not yet clear to me, but the chances are we will all have two or three months to find out, since it is likely to run that long if it does as well here as it has in New York and San Francisco.

Why it would run anywhere that long is something else I do not understand, but from the temper of the audience last night I haven't the least doubt that it will be here long enough to find that out, too.

There is a candy shop in the beginning, invaded by the sort of girls who are the explanation of why men leave home; and some of the candy is soaked in something so much better that it has an enthusiastic effect upon those who eat it. Of course the act is just a lot of mere nonsense, giving room for a show of symmetrical girls, some light songs and some catchy dancing.

The second act has three scenes, the first at Coney Island, the second a ghost dance and the third a sort of revue, called the Cabaret Je Luxe. The ghost dance really resembles the sort of shadow pictures which a man on the street corner cuts out for 10 cents while you wait.

The Coney Island is an Oh-you-kid affair, with lots of pep to it. In fact, the entire piece is like hash in that it is a little of everything from the St. Bernards in the hot dog foundry to a white-washed crew. If there is anything which has been overlooked in the line of a song or a dance novelty the company would no doubt be glad to include it, because it already runs the gamut from flirtation to votes for women and from a candy jag to Egyptology.

Little Women.

Oh, Angelenos, be above small thoughts when you are so near the great sea, but do not fail the lesser beauties when they sometimes brush you with fairy wings.

"Little Women" at the Majestic this week, comes like a benediction. It opens the book to an old page and its words are kind. It offers the warmth of a gentler life, a purer environment. In a way it suggests the evolution of the peach.

It takes us back sixty, seventy years with Louisa M. Alcott and we see the sweetest creatures that have peopled the earth and they are like flowers about the footstool of God, taking hold upon the mental, spiritual and material life of a great new land.

The play is more than a lot of merry and dainty little women springing from happy girlhood into a gracious maturity. It is a picture of significance because it foreshadows even in that long ago what womanhood would mean to America in a few brief generations ahead.

The picture is doubly refreshing because of its old-fashioned setting. Everything from the broad, low stairway to the man with the Emerson beard and weeping nose suggests yesteryear. The carpet-bag takes the place of the suit case and the spirit of the neighbors is that of a friendliness that the haste of today is likely to forget.

The cook is a scold and a joy, the mother has the strength of the weak, the boys have the gladness and the courage of the untainted, and the girls are shafts of sunshine, showering over all. It is one of the most worth-while offerings the Majestic has made this season and it has in its favor that sweetness and sanity which invite the attendance of women and children without question.

Not much that is offered in any theater today could find the complete approbation of all kinds of people, including those who like the old ideals of what it is to be fine, gentle and good. This play is altogether that sort.

We are indebted to Jane Marbury for an exquisite Jo with all the vivacity and depth of that delicious little savage.

Jean Brae as Meg and Marta Oatman as Mrs. Mareh offer her delightful support. Ida St. Leon is an Amy with comedy and charm, and Lillian Dixon is nothing short of a scream as Aunt March. Selmar Romaine out-Emersons Emerson as Mr. Lawrence. He looked too good to be true, but he had to step out of the middle of history to do it. It is too bad to think that he will walk back into the book again or vanish to the place our dreams go when we wake up in the morning. He is the sort it would be fine to keep and so is Donald Gallaher as Laurie. One of the strong parts of the good cast is that taken by Robert Fischer in the role of Prof. Bahaer, who finally married Jo. He is a streak of joy from first to last.

Orpheum.

This pre-holiday week may fitly be called the noisy week at the Orpheum. Not that the programme doesn't offer brief intervals of lucid quiet. For Joe Welch remains over from last week, and his delightful Yiddish monologue is assuredly not boisterous. Also, we still have Ellen Beach Yaw with us, this time in a charming "Laughing Song" and a polonaise by Thomas, "Mignon." But that ingenious playlet, "The Real Q," likewise held over, is screamingly loud when it isn't creepingly quiet.

The Three Collegians, Fish, O'Rell and Crumit, open the reverberations with "A Bit of College Life," fun, songs, dances and a general rah-rah time in the true college spirit. The Six Musical Cuttys end them with tuneful numbers on brass instruments and pianos, as well as on human vocal chords. The Cuttys give us old songs and new in a happy, lively spirit.

A particularly good offering is that of Harry Fox and Yancsi Dolly. The nonchalance of Harry (we have his own word for it that he has it, and he is not mistaken in his diagnosis) is of that ingratiating sort that makes his auditors laugh at anything and everything he may say or do. And he can do and say and sing and dance a lot of things. So can Yancsi Dolly, whose poses, when she dances, are almost classically perfect. These two are the real thing, vaudeville performers whose touch is artistic.

Somewhat more strident, but still pleasantly entertaining, are the songs and jokes of Dave Genaro and Ray Bailey. Their "Danse a la Flirtation" has much of life and ginger in it. They carry any quantity of scenery with them, changing every minute or so.

The farce of the week is as funny as a farce may be and still leave buttons on your waistcoat. It is presented, and in most admirable style, by George Rolland and his company of two. Its name is "Fixing the Furnace"—which hints the story. The sly seriousness of Rolland's McGuinnis is a genuine character study consistently adhered to, while the unhappy adventures of Mike, McGuinnis's helper, are matched by that unfortunate Cockney's lugubrious countenance. Mae Gerald hasn't much to do or say as Mrs. Brewster, but she acquits herself effectively.

Empress.

A little play, cleverly conceived and intelligently carried out, is "Behind the Footlights," a farce with a serio-comic situation that borders on heart-torturing melodrama. It was written by Matthew Goldman and Charles H. Smith. Four very capable actors are playing it at the Empress Theater this week.

Thomas Carroll makes a perfectly believable property man in "Behind the Footlights," Richard Collins a genuine stage carpenter, Paul Meacham a stage director that is not stuffed with sawdust, while The Woman, played by Pauline Emerson, leaves her breathlessly sympathizing audience as much in the dark as she does the director, the carpenter and the props.

The repartee of James Kelso and Blanche Leighton in "Here and There in Vaudeville" is of a sledge-hammer intention. It strikes home, and strikes hard, every time. Nevertheless, it is cleverly handled. Kelso and Miss Leighton are gifted in other ways. They can sing as effectively as they can joke. When Miss Leighton plays a lady lit up she does it in a vastly amusing way.

Who is Orville and who is Frank in the remarkable aerial stunt of Orville & Frank? A very young boy and an oldish man who look like son and father, do hazardous and blood-freezing things with a long ladder which threatens to smash half the audience any minute. The oldish man balances the ladder on the soles of his feet, while the boy climbs it and does turns (difficult ones at that) on a flying trapeze. Some class, believe me.

The five "Old Veteran Boys in Blue" are back with their cheerful old songs and dances. There is something about these hale old soldiers, fine relics of Gettysburg and Andersonville, that stirs the heart and the imagination, and their simple performances on violin, tambourine and drum are heartily cheered and clapped, as they deserve to be. And how the vets can dance!

The Franconia Opera Company, four singers, with excellent, well-trained voices, give bits from operas, ending, of course, with the famous sextette from "Lucia." They sing as if they enjoyed it, carrying their enthusiasm over the footlights.

"The Surveyors" is a bit of song and comedy by Harry Ross and Moe Ashton acceptably produced.

Hippodrome.

Certainly there are few acts in vaudeville as unique, as interesting, and perchance as pathetic as "The Veteran Firemen," who top the new bill which the Hippodrome presented yesterday.

In an amusing skit called "The Old Vets," these human relics of a departed era present an engrossing story, which, though full of laughs, brings a tear to the eye, too. Because they are old, they are about to be "fired" when the Mayor's house takes fire. And the department won't stir till it is granted a pension.

That is the story in brief, but it hints nothing of the quaint humor, the facetious pleasantry that permeates the plot. Then, too, there is a quartette in the act which is surprisingly good; so good, in fact, that it carries off the honors of the whole show.

Abram & Johns have a capital sketch called "A Woman's Grit," in which the girl plays a great detective role, and Mme. Lloyd sings high-class offerings with superb voice.

Nardini proves herself a splendid piano-accordeonist, and Rochester & Lavigne are a chic song-and-dance "sister" team with clever stuff and ravishing costumes.

Floyd & Floyd open the bill with a daring wire act that is out of the ordinary, and the Four Nelson Comiques cause laughter and wonder as well with their tumbling.

In addition there are some extraordinarily-good photo plays and news features.

President Irving C. Ackerman of the Western States Vaudeville Association, which books the Hippodrome attractions, came to Los Angeles yesterday for a brief stay. He, too, wanted to see the sand pile Manager Fountain has installed in the lobby for the kids.

Tally's Broadway.

"The Sea Wolf," Jack London's famous story in motion pictures, entered upon its second week at Tally's Broadway Theater yesterday. This wonderful picture has broken all records at this house and yesterday's crowd promises well for the present week. This production was authorized by Jack London and is a fine example of what plenty of money and brains can do in making a motion picture. It is safe to say that there will be lots of people come back to see it again, because it's well worth a second and even a third looking over.

Clune's.

As a pre-holiday week offering at Clune's Broadway Theater, "The First Christmas," a vitagraph comedy with a theme of decided heart interest, is being shown at the head of a big new bill of well-selected pictures, illustrated songs, and vaudeville. "The First Christmas" has a well-developed tinge of romance and is interesting from start to finish. The best of the Vitagraph actors take part in the production.

"The Blue Rose," a two-reel feature, is also entertaining, as is the Pathe Weekly and a number of single-reel pictures.

This bill will continue until Thursday, when a new programme with two big feature headliners, "Love's Sunset" and "Beyond All Law," will be introduced. These are two of the Vitagraph's biggest productions and should make a splendid week-end bill at Clune's.

On Fundamentals.

CITY AND ELECTRICAL COMPANIES AGREEING.

RESOLVING itself once more into a legal proposition, pure but by no means simple, the negotiations between the city and the power companies yesterday progressed to a point where both sides are agreed upon the fundamentals of the proposed deal whereby the municipality is to lease and later purchase the electrical distributing systems.

The City Attorney was instructed to draft a contract embodying the five points of agreement and submit the contract to the power companies. The representatives of the power companies indicated that if the proposed contract is legal in its provisions and properly safeguards the interests of the companies, they will advise entering into a contract with the city.

"It now looks as if the matter would be brought to an early conclusion one way or the other," said the special Council committee in a typewritten statement at the close of the conference.

The five points of agreement, as announced in The Times last week, are:

(1.) That the companies be bound to sell and the city to purchase the systems; such sale, however, to be subject to the companies' ability to obtain a release of bonded indebtedness at the expiration of a five-year term.

(2.) That the purchase price shall be fixed now by the State Railroad Commission.

(3.) That such contract provide that during such period of five years the city shall lease and operate the systems upon fair terms and reasonable rental to be fixed now by the State Railroad Commission.

(4.) That the city shall make all necessary extensions and properly maintain the systems in good condition at its own cost.

(5.) That in case any dispute shall arise as to the proper maintenance of the systems it shall be decided by the State Railroad Commission.

In the third provision is found the statement that the city is to operate the system "upon fair terms," which is construed by both sides as a direct reference to the plan of joint board of control or some other supervisory board. The Council committee does not wish to accede wholly to this plan of operation of the systems, but agrees to submit that one point to the State Railroad Commission for arbitration. Upon this point there has been considerable argument, and if the State Railroad Commission holds that operation under a joint board of control is in line with "fair terms," that feature will be settled.

However, upon the other points there can be no determination until the legal phase of the situation is cleared. The companies are agreeable to a contract on these terms if they are legally possible, and that is the kernel of the whole situation.

It is believed that when the City Attorney submits his contract to the power companies in a few weeks the situation will be clarified to a great extent, and the deal will be closed which makes way for municipal distribution of power.

ROBBERS AND BURGLARS.

Four Who Have Been Operating Here Recently Make Confessions to the Police.

Central Station detectives have succeeded in fastening several burglaries and hold-ups recently committed on four of the men who have been taken in since Saturday night. Detectives Ritch and Roberds secured confessions from the men last night. They are Ned Baxter, George Green, alias Wallace; Ernest Wilbur Hull, Abe Beery, alias Abe Berry, alias Jack Mitchel. The latter is on five years' probation for burglary. Two burglaries in the Somerset House, No. 214 East Fifth street, are admitted by Beery. Baxter and Hull confessed to holding up and robbing George La Plant at his confectionery store. They got a small amount of money and a gold watch. Baxter and Green, alias Wallace, held up and robbed Alfred Denier, No. 683 West Thirty-fifth street, on last Wednesday. Baxter and Hull took $32 and a gold watch from H. E. Anson, No. 4100 Moneta avenue, on Thursday. They also burglarized a rooming-house at No. 215 East Fifth street. Baxter alone broke into a room at Fifth street and Maple avenue and took a watch and stickpin.

CHARGES ARE DROPPED.

Charges against Mrs. Ruth Canterbury, who admitted to impersonating women, and having purchases charged to their accounts at the department stores, were withdrawn from police records yesterday. No one came forward to prosecute her. Attended by Leo Youngworth, United States Marshal, whose wife she had impersonated, Mrs. Canterbury appeared in Police Court, and received the $500 she had given as bail.

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Pasadena.

GOLDEN WEDDING IS CELEBRATED.

Pasadena Couple Live in Happiness Fifty Years.

Permit Issued for Construction of Beautiful Home.

New Road to Antelope Valley Is Problematical.

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—A remarkable golden wedding anniversary was celebrated here yesterday. It was that of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lee of No. 142 South El Molino avenue, and the combined ages of seven guests, the youngest of whom was 68, amounted to 524 years.

Lee is 75 years old and Mrs. Lee's age is 68. The guests were Mrs. E. M. Sherk, aged 69, and her husband, aged 85, who will celebrate their own golden wedding tomorrow; B. D. Lee of Compton, aged 77, and Mrs. Lee, aged 79, and Mrs. J. A. Quimby, aged 81. Mrs. Lee came from Compton in an invalid chair in order to be present at the ceremonies, which consisted of a dinner at which were also present the members of the second and third generations of the families, making a notable group.

Three daughters and a son of the couple took part in the celebration. They are Mrs. J. E. Fuller, Mrs. Alva Beal, Mrs. H. A. Austin and F. S. Lee.

Lee comes from a line of long-lived ancestors and his forebears had a prominent part in the pioneer work of settling the United States. His parents were among the first settlers in Zanesville, O. He has himself long been a resident of Pasadena, and he is a staunch advocate of prohibition of the manufacture and sale of liquor.

Jumping in ahead of the City Commissioners, who are having a preliminary survey for a talked-of electric line between Pasadena and Los Angeles made, they say to see whether such a project would be feasible, the Pasadena Board of Labor yesterday prepared to plump before the city a resolution of that body—which hitherto has not taken any part in the matter, and from which no opinion was asked by the commission—giving its "indorsement" to the construction of a municipally-owned railway between Pasadena and Los Angeles.

The resolutions are not to be formally presented until today's session of the Council and President Metcalf of the Commission yesterday declined to express himself concerning them, saying that they will not be discussed until they are actually submitted.

FIGURES MOUNT UP.

A $37,000 building permit issued yesterday for the construction of a home in Oak Knoll to be built by J. H. House brings the building total for the year, to date, up to $2,760,492.15. There are a number of other large building permits to be issued this month and if the permit for the proposed new palatial home of the Baroness von Zimmerman in Oak Knoll is taken out before the first of the new year another $100,000 will be added in it. It was at first thought by the Pasadena city officials that this proposed house would be in San Mareno, the new town recently incorporated, but several days ago careful measurements were made by the building inspector, and it was found that it will come within the Pasadena city limits.

The building permit record for this year, by month, follows:

January, $142,623; February, $66,534; March, $175,822.15; June, $159,014; July, $215,247; August, $120,291; September, $140,803; October, $133,920.50; November, $123,389, and December, to date, $297,521. The total for the year of 1912 was $2,166,294.

A meeting of the Good Roads Committee of the Board of Trade was held at that organization's office yesterday, and a report was brought by the delegation of members that last Saturday went to Antelope Valley to confer with residents there about a projected new road between that district and Pasadena by way of the new Colorado-street bridge across the Arroyo Seco. The report was that residents of the valley are very desirous of having the road constructed and that they have agreed to co-operate with Pasadena in every way possible to bring about the improvement. A meeting will probably be held soon at which further plans in the matter will be made.

WEDDING IS BRILLIANT.

The wedding of Miss Isabelle Lynds, daughter of Mrs. R. L. Lynds, of Los Angeles, and Horace Thompson Major, Jr., treasurer of the Hogan Company of this city, which was held last night at the home of a sister of the bride, Mrs. R. O. Merriam, No. 645 Oakland avenue, was attended by many society people of Los Angeles and Pasadena.

The house was beautifully decorated with a myriad of flowers and the bride wore a gown of white brocade. Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson officiated. Mrs. R. C. Merriam, was matron of honor and Miss Bettie Spellacy of Los Angeles and Miss Verna Hogue of St. Louis drew the ribbons that marked the aisle down which the couple walked. Frank G. Hogan of the Hogan Company was the best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Major will spend their honeymoon in San Francisco and the northern part of the State. They will make their home in Pasadena.

A meeting of the Oak Knoll Improvement Association will be held tonight at the Hotel Huntington. This will be the first gathering in the new hotel and it will be a meeting of special importance to the organization since it is in a way to be a celebration of the recent improvement that have been made in Oak Knoll, many of the streets of which have been paved and lined with artistic electric lamp posts.

Sidney McM. Van Wyck of San Francisco, who is out for the Democratic nomination for Governor of California, was a visitor in Pasadena for a few hours yesterday.

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HIGH TIDES FRIGHTEN.

Recently Completed Ocean Front Walk at Santa Monica Is Badly Damaged.

VENICE, Dec. 15.—High tides of this morning so damaged the recently completed Ocean Front walk west of Center street, and so weakened the reinforced concrete bulkhead that it is feared that most of the work will have to be done over again. The pounding breakers have thrown water entirely over the structure, undermining the sand beneath the walk so that cracks two inches wide have appeared, and some parts of the walk have sunk down several inches.

It was believed by the city when it accepted the new bulkhead and walk that it was practically indestructible, and the work was accepted, and the contractor given his money. It is believed that the reconstructing made necessary in places will cost the city $1500. The worst cracks are in the vicinity of Linne avenue.

The tides were 6 feet 5 inches above mean today. Tomorrow they will be two inches lower, but apprehension is felt by the residents of the beach south of Center street.

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Long Beach.

CHEERFUL NEWS BY THE PASTOR.

Long Beach Church Will Meet the Requirements.

Long Beach Woman Suffers from Stove Explosion.

Institute Opens With Sympathetic Message.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 15.—At the annual meeting of the First Christian Church congregation Wednesday evening, some cheerful news will be given by the pastor, Dr. F. M. Rogers.

Of local interest will be the announcement that pledges and collections amounting to $15,000 will be available about May 1, to wipe out the present indebtedness of the church and make possible an agitation and campaign for a larger structure, the present building being too small for the 1200 membership. This will also involve the sale of the present site, which has grown too valuable for church purposes, being located at American avenue and Fourth street, and the selection of another nearer the residence section.

The most important news, however, will be that the Southern California Christian Church Building Committee, of which Dr. F. M. Rogers is secretary, has finally decided that the denomination's $500,000 college shall be located in Long Beach. A site in the northern part of the city is being considered and ten or twelve acres will be secured. The exact size depending upon the settlement of the question whether the institution shall be a general educational institution or merely the removal of the Bible seminary from Berkeley.

Indications are that the Southern California churches will decide to broaden the sphere of the institution. Secretary Rogers, acting on this theory, this morning wrote a letter to the secretary of the commission elected by the recent international convention at Toronto, Can., to raise a $3,000,000 fund for educational purposes, asking that the proposed college be considered in making loans of the funds available.

The proposed college grows out of the gift to the Southern California assembly three years ago of the Berkeley seminary, which the northern assembly was conducting without marked success.

WOMAN IS DYING.

Mrs. Sarah L. Miles, aged 74, is at a local hospital, suffering from burns and semi-suffocation, incurred this morning when a stove in her bedroom set fire to the carpet and spread rapidly to the walls. Her escape from death is due to the efforts of four members of the fire department, who hearing her stifled screams, burst open a door and dragged her from bed, the covering of which had caught fire, and was creeping rapidly toward the victim. Mrs. Miles has been seriously ill for three weeks and every morning her fire has been kindled by a rooming neighbor. This morning Mrs. Miles fell asleep after the neighbor left and woke only to find herself in the midst of flames. The fire had a good start, but the firemen confined the damage to the rear and side walls. The loss to the building is about $300.

At midnight, fire starting in the oriental store of Gazoni and Behai, for a time endangered a block of buildings on the Pike. The fire started from an overheated stove and communicating to a pile of laces and rugs was a difficult blaze to fight, and was only controlled by flooding the building and contents with water. Property and stocks adjoining valued at $100,000 were saved only by desperate efforts.

The property loss is estimated to be about $5000. Mrs. Edward Koon, whose home was destroyed Saturday afternoon, and who saved her baby by dashing into the burning structure while the walls were tottering, is with her family being cared for by neighbors. Charitable people have secured lumber and materials and on Wednesday a volunteer force of workmen will erect a new home for the homeless family, which will be ready for occupancy on Thursday morning.

NEWS BRIEFS.

The most important feature of this morning's opening session of the Long Beach Teachers' Institute was the authorization of a message sent this afternoon by Supt. Stephens to Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, the deposed superintendent of the Chicago schools, expressing their disapproval of the recent action of the Chicago board, which resulted in her withdrawal. The message affirmed the senders' faith and confidence in her work and warm admiration of her devotion to the highest ideals of the teacher's craft.

The institute was well attended and much interest shown. The chief speaker of the morning was Dr. L. R. Alderman, superintendent of the Portland (Or.) schools, who spoke of the partnership of teacher and parents as the essential factor in home and school life. At a business session in the morning Prof. David Burcham was selected to represent Long Beach of the Nominating Committee of the Southern California Teachers' Institute, which meets in Los Angeles the latter part of the week. Greetings were also extended to the institutes in session in other cities of the county. The afternoon session was devoted to sectional meetings, closing with an address by Prof. Chauncey Wells of the University of California. Tonight, Miss Jane Brownlee of Cleveland addressed the Teachers and Parent-Teachers' associations on the subject of moral training in the public schools.

Principal speakers at Tuesday's sessions will be Dr. M. V. Shea, University of Wisconsin; Prof. Rockwell Hunt, U.S.C.; Dr. E. A. Wilson of Los Angeles, and Otto Buehrmann of Los Angeles.

CHURCH BROTHERHOOD.

Members of the Federated Church Brotherhood tonight at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, heard plans of the directorate of the Long Beach Assembly to provide for a greater assembly the coming year as outlined by Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, Rev. H. K. Booth, Dr. D. P. Ward and R. L. Bisby and heartily indorsed the ideas suggested which involve the raising of a fund of $4000, which will guarantee the presence of speakers of national and international fame. As a result of the indorsement negotiations will be at once started by Dr. Ward for the services of Dr. Frank Gunsaulus of Chicago and other noted theologians and students.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Failing to respond to a breakfast call this morning members of the family forced an entrance to the bedroom of Mrs. Frank H. Carpenter, aged 50, and were overpowered by the gas which rushed out upon them. Mrs. Carpenter was found in bed unconscious, black in the face and near death. Gas from an open jet was flowing freely and the family think had been going all night. Physicians were called and by heroic methods succeeded in reviving her by stimulants and artificial respiration and this evening it was said she would recover. It is supposed the gas was left turned on after Mrs. Carpenter returned from a visit late last night to her daughter in Los Angeles.

Francis Howell, aged 16, was arrested today charged with the theft of two motorcycles and a bicycle. Howell attempted to sell one motorcycle at Newport, hid another two blocks from where it was stolen and stored the bicycle under the bridge over Cerritos Slough on Anaheim street, where it was recovered this morning. The lad's father is very ill of nervous prostration and the mother being compelled to be wage-earner, the boy has gone astray through lack of parental care.

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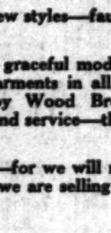

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Imperial Valley.

VALLEY GETS BETTER SERVICE.

SUNSET COMPANY MAKES BIG EXPENDITURE FOR SERVICE.

Division Superintendent Says Thousands Will Be Expended by the Pacific Telephone Company for Better Service in the Imperial Valley.

IMPERIAL, Dec. 15.—C. F. Mason division superintendent of the Pacific Telephone Company, stated yesterday that the Imperial Valley is included in an expenditure for telephone service extension of nearly $1,000,000. The part to be expended in the valley of this amount is about $35,000. F. C. Allen, the valley representative of the Pacific Telephone Company, said that the demands for telephone facilities are far in excess of the most liberal estimates, and that this expenditure of $35,000 is in addition to the $65,000 recently spent by the company in improving its service here. He also stated that the increasing demands of the valley for 'phone service would require frequent large expenditures of this nature.

A writ of mandate was issued yesterday morning, in the Superior Court by Judge Cole, ordering the board of directors of the Imperial irrigation district to give cause why they should not give attention to a petition signed by more than 600 voters in the irrigation district, askng that an election be called to decide if the annual assessment of 2 per cent. levied September 24 should be paid. The mandamus proceedings are by the Imperial Land Company, the Imperial Valley Improvement company and the Oakly company, with individual stockholders of the several companies.

The permits for residence buildings in Calexico, during the last month, amounted in the aggregate to $18,000. Aside from these buildings to be built in that town others in considerable numbers are now being built there.

Holtville will purchase 500 turkeys for the annual Fiesta, to be held there on New Year's Day, and 1 cent more per pound will be paid for the birds than the market quotations. It is expected that several thousand people will be the guests of Holtville on that occasion, elaborate preparations for which are now being made. Everything connected with the festival, including the elaborate lunch, will be free.

The A. D. Smith ranch, lying east of Holtville, and containing 160 acres, has just been sold for $20,000.

Brawley is now busy laying sidewalks on its streets, several miles of which will be put down during the coming winter. Several of the contractors are now at work on the sidewalks recently ordered by the City Council. Nearly all of the property owners will install the new sidewalks in preference to waiting for a formal action under the Vrooman Act, which will add, probably, one-quarter to the cost. The sidewalk addition now under way in Brawley is the largest that has ever been ordered in any of the valley cities, and is a part of its building campaign.

J. H. Peck, a banker, and Mrs. Peck, of Pueblo, late arrivals in Los Angeles, are making their winter home at the Angelus. Leo Walfoot of St. Louis, also in the city for the winter, is at the same hotel.

San Diego.

COMMITTEE IN FAVOR OF BRUSH.

San Diego Chamber of Commerce Wants Chaparral.

Prominent Citizens Favor the Federal Reserve System.

Everybody Breaking Their Necks to Pay Taxes.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 15.—A committee from the Chamber of Commerce composed of John B. Starkey, Irving T. Brokett and Gordon Gray, appointed three months ago, has after extensive investigation, turned in a report favoring the retaining of the chaparral on the various watersheds of the city water system.

The subject was one of much agitation and divided views and opinions, and in order to determine the best course to pursue and satisfy the citizens of San Diego that the best possible care was being taken of their interests, this committee was put to work.

About six or seven years ago, at the urgent request of the Chamber of Commerce and many prominent citizens of the city and county, the forestry service was urged to establish reserves in San Diego county to protect the underbrush and forest covering of the watersheds. The request was granted, and the government established a working force aggregating an expenditure of about $35,000 per year. During the terrific fires of the past season several people advanced the theory that there was more to be feared from the fires than gained by the protection of the chaparral on the watersheds, and an effort was made to dispose of the underbrush often enough to prevent the spread of the fires.

This brought determined opposition from others who insisted that without the brush there would be no adequate water supply, particularly on those river basins having a population of any extent. The conclusion of the committee report is as follows:

"First, that at the present time the work of the forestry service in San Diego county is of great benefit and should have the support of every citizen in enforcing the laws and protecting our watersheds. Second, that at the present time it is impossible to determine the good or amount of harm that would result in the removal of a portion of the chaparral of our watersheds without careful study and prolonged experiments. Third, there are many logical reasons for believing that the chaparral can be removed from portions of our river basins which have adequate storage reservoirs, with resulting damage being less than the money value represented by the increase of the run-off. That only by the careful and prolonged study of selected areas can the largest increase in run-offs be secured with the least resulting damage. Lastly, any policy looking to the removal of the chaparral from any portion of our watersheds by anyone except the forest service, would result in devastation and loss."

NEWS BRIEFS.

County taxes to the amount of $992,200.66 have been collected to December 1 for the year by the office of County Tax Collector A. F. Cornell, an amount which is said to break the record for the amount of taxes collected within the time limit. The total amount of the taxes assessed and to be collected for 1913 is $1,551,216.72, leaving the amount still to be collected $559,016.06. That amount includes the sum still due on the first installment, and the second installment not delinquent until April 27, 1914.

Coronado's new $80,000 school building, the handsome open-air structure just completed, was formally opened last night by a reception given in the building by the Coronado Parent-Teacher Association. The school embodies the most modern and complete features recognized in school use, and is said to be the largest outdoor school in the State. The entire building was inspected by the visitors, and the kindergarten room was converted into an impromptu banquet hall, from which light refreshments were served.

Hearing in the case against the San Diego Construction Company, for which a receiver is asked, was continued from this morning till Wednesday, December 17, in order to give the attorneys for the company time to prepare their answer to the allegations in the complaint. N. L. Coleman, the director who incited the action against the remainder of the board, has issued a statement of his position, declaring he found the corporation to be largely a stock-selling concern instead of building and construction company, as stockholders were led to believe. In taking his present course, he states, he is actuated by a desire to protect the stockholders and himself against loose business methods which he knows to exist. He also states that the office expense of $2000 monthly is ten times that which the actual business transacted justifies, and that this matter alone calls for investigation.

Tighter and tighter comes the lid in San Diego. The police are evidently determined to make the letter of the reform law as stringent as their authority permits. Two restaurant-keepers were yesterday arrested and arraigned for selling liquor without meals, against the ordinance, which states definitely that no liquor shall be served anyone not buying a bona fide meal. Just what constitutes a "bona fide" meal seems somewhat of a mooted question, some of the officials holding that a sandwich, with the proper cutlery service sufficing, and others that there must be more than that, and that a bowl of "noodles" is a subterfuge. The men arrested are R. J. Meining, owner of the Cafe de Paris, and Ernest Caloudes, proprietor of the Portola Cafe. The police say that the Cafe de Paris has been a most flagrant violator of the law, and the liquor license will probably be revoked, not for the present charge, but for the sum total of all the abuses of the ordinance which have been reported.

Thais Lawton McDermott, an actress, who has appeared in Los Angeles a number of times, and is now a member of Robert Mantell's company, is registered at the Angelus.

SANTA HAS THEIR ADDRESS.

One Hundred and Ninety Anaheim Orphans Are Assured of a Merry Christmas—News Briefs.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 15.—One hundred and ninety little children will receive something from Santa Claus this year and 190 little hearts will be gladdened when Christmas morning dawns at the St. Catherine's Orphanage because the Knights of Columbus and the local order of Elks are acting to see that Santa has their address and remembers each child.

In previous years the sisters have been able to solicit donations of money and provisions, all of which went a long way toward bringing Christmas cheer to these brave little orphans, but as an ordinance forbids solicitation in any form in this year, the Knights of Columbus and the Elks have stepped into the breach.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Marshal Kellenberger and his efficient deputies have had no difficulty with the migratory-birds-of-the-highway, commonly known as tramps and hobos. Yesterday forty-four were given their walking papers and told to keep walking. Although Anaheim is the only open town in the county the city officials take great pride in the fact that there has been no robberies or hold-ups reported. When asked to account for this, Marshal Kellenberger said: "Every citizen of this city is just as much on the side of peace and anxious for law and order as I am. We all work together and the result is gratifying in a extreme."

A realty transaction of considerable magnitude was consummated this morning when Louis Westenberg of Chicago purchased the Wagner ranch east of town.

El Centro.

DIRECTORS ARE NOT OF ONE MIND.

PURCHASE OF RAILROADS INTEREST CAUSES FRICTION.

Whether or Not to Assume the Claim of the Corporation Against the Government Is One of the Questions at Issue—Colorado Claim as to Cotton Capitol.

EL CENTRO, Dec. 15.—The directors of the Imperial Irrigation district are in doubt as to how to proceed in regard to purchasing the Southern Pacific's interest in the Imperial Valley irrigation system, but confronted with the question of whether or not to assume the claim of the railroad against the government for money expended by them in closing the break in the Colorado river. The district directors are opposed to any such arrangement.

An injunction has been issued against the irrigation district board to prohibit them from collecting the last assessment of $25,000 until the prove counterfeit the signatures of petition, purported to be signed by 681 legal voters, against the assessment, which was turned down by them last November 11. This will be the collection of all taxes until the matter is settled in court. If the decision is against the district it will further complicate matters, as a part of the assessment has already been collected.

Allison Peck, member of the irrigation board from the Imperial district, placed his nomination before the board at a meeting last Tuesday, stating as a reason that the increased pressure of his private business compelled him to give it all of his time. No appointment has yet been made to fill the vacancy. The resignation of J. S. Barker as secretary of the board was accepted at this meeting, and C. E. Berry was appointed to fill the vacancy.

"COTTON CITY."

The first bale of cotton ever pressed in the State of California passed through the compressor of the universal fiber cotton gin at Calexico last week. This gives Calexico three large gins, all of which are running to work overtime to handle the cotton as fast as it is brought in from the fields.

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Doyle said that Cooley was wanted for a murder committed in Oregon seventeen years ago, but that he was not familiar with the history of the case.

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WIRELESS DIVIDEND.

MONEY FOR THE CREDITORS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Me.) Dec. 15.—The receivership of $14,875 outstanding shares of stock of the United Wireless Telegraph Company will share in a $300,000 dividend soon to be declared by the company, which is now in the hands of receivers in bankruptcy, according to

nty News.

SANTA HAS THEIR ADDRESS.

One Hundred and Ninety Anaheim Orphans Are Assured of a Happy Christmas—News Briefs.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 15.—One hundred and ninety little children will receive something from Santa Claus this year and 190 little hearts will be gladdened when Christmas morning dawns at the St. Catherine's Orphanage because the Knights of Columbus and the local order of Elks are going to see that Santa has their address and remembers each child.

In previous years the sisters have been able to solicit donations of money and provisions, all of which went a long way toward bringing Christmas cheer to these brave little orphans, but as an ordinance forbids solicitation in any form this year, the Knights of Columbus and the Elks have stepped into the breach.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Marshal Kellenberger and his efficient deputies have had no difficulty with the migratory-birds-of-the-highway, commonly known as crooks and hobos. Yesterday forty-four were given their walking papers and told to keep walking. Although Anaheim is the only open town in the county the city officials take great pride in the fact that there has been no robberies or hold-ups reported. When asked to account for this, Marshal Kellenberger said: "Every citizen of this city is just as much an officer of peace and anxious for law and order as I am. We all work together and the result is gratifying in every sense."

A realty transaction of considerable magnitude was consummated this morning when Louis Weesmann of Chicago purchased the Wagner ranch east of town.

El Centro.

DIRECTORS ARE NOT OF ONE MIND.

PURCHASE OF RAILROADS IN-TEREST CAUSES FRICTION.

Whether or Not to Assume the Claim of the Corporation Against the Government Is One of the Questions at Issue—Calexico's Claim as to Cotton Capital.

EL CENTRO, Dec. 15.—The directors of the Imperial Irrigation district are in doubt as to how to proceed in regard to purchasing the Southern Pacific's interest in the Imperial Valley irrigation system, being confronted with the question of whether or not to assume the claim of the railroad against the government for money expended by them in meeting the break in the Colorado River.

The district directors are opposed to any such arrangement.

An injunction has been issued against the irrigation district board to prohibit them from collecting their last assessment of $28,000 until they have counterfeit the signatures of petition, purported to be signed by legal voters, against the assessment, which was turned down by them last November 11. This will stop the collection of all taxes until the matter is settled in court. If the decision is against the district it will further complicate matters, since a part of the assessment has already been collected.

Allison Peck, member of the irrigation board from the Imperial district, placed his resignation before the board at its meeting last Tuesday, stating as his reason that the increased pressure of his private business compelled him to give it all of his time. No appointment has yet been made to fill the vacancy. The resignation of H. L. Barker as secretary of the board was accepted at this meeting, and C. H. Terry was appointed to fill the vacancy.

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MUST ANSWER MURDER CHARGE.

Two Men Held as Insane Patients Are Alleged to Have Killed a Lunatic While Trying to Escape.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Dr. F. W. Hatch has received an opinion from the attorney of the State Insanity Commission that Frank Peoples and George McIntosh, who killed another patient while trying to escape from the Mendocino State Insane Asylum, may be tried for murder, regardless of the fact that they were confined for insanity.

Both the men were sent to the asylum without being legally tried for their insanity, one from San Quentin and the other by the naval authorities.

TO EXHIBIT AT SAN DIEGO.

Supervisors of Santa Clara County Have Decided to Take Two Thousand Square Feet of Space.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE (Cal.) Dec. 15.—The Board of Supervisors of Santa Clara county today decided to exhibit at the Panama California World's Fair in San Diego in 1915. The Supervisors today agreed to take 2000 square feet of floor space at the exposition. It is the intention of the board to install a modern cannery at the fair and exhibit how the produce grown in Santa Clara Valley is canned for shipment at San Jose.

A CRIMINAL'S RESTORATION.

Zollie Clement, Bandit-Murderer, Is Reported to Be Recovering His Sanity in Prison.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Zollie Clement, the bandit-murderer who was sent to Folsom Prison after having been shot and captured in Sacramento, is recovering from the attack of insanity he recently suffered. Under the instructions of Dr. F. W. Hatch, State Superintendent of Asylums, Clement was given treatment. He was suffering from delusions that left him in a state of complete physical exhaustion after they had passed.

WILL SPEND A HALF-MILLION.

Mountain Copper Company Plans to Erect Big Concentrating Plant Near Keswick.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDDING, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William Kett, general manager of the Mountain Copper Company, a British corporation, operating near Keswick a few miles from here, announced that his firm will erect near the mine a concentrating plant with a daily capacity of 1250 tons of ore. The estimated cost is half a million dollars. Contracts are about to be let to a machinery firm and the first unit of the plant will be ready by the fall of 1914.

The concentrating plant has been made necessary by the development of a large amount of disseminated ore that has blotches of high-grade chalcopyrite mixed with siliceous gangue of no value whatever. The company has an almost inexhaustible supply of the ore. By concentration, disseminated ore grading only 2 per cent. copper can be reduced to ore carrying from 16 to 18 per cent.

SAY ITS DEBT IS TOO BIG.

Railroad Commission Refuses Application of Tonopah Railroad to Issue More Bonds.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—The Railroad Commission denied today an application of the Tonopah and Tidewater Railroad Company for authority to issue $364,000 of bonds for the construction of a narrow gauge extension from its Ryan branch to a borax mine in Death Valley.

The commission said the company had an outstanding indebtedness of $4,295,000 and that this exceeded the value of the company's properties. The decision set forth that the company had not been earning its bond interest and that the deficit had been paid by the Borax Consolidated, Limited, of London.

SWELL SHOTS ON MARBLEHEAD.

California Naval Militia Comes Close to the United States Record at Practice.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 15.—Official scores of the shooting done last Sunday on the cruiser Marblehead by the California naval militia shows that the percentage of hits for the ship was .51785 as compared with the United States navy record this year of .53998, according to announcement from Adjt.-Gen. Forbes's office today.

The San Diego division on board the Marblehead scored twelve hits out of fourteen shots with the four-inch gun and the San Francisco division scored five hits out of as many shots. The militiamen shot under difficulties, because of several accidents to the guns, Gen. Forbes said.

Two years ago the naval militia broke the world's record for target practice with four-inch guns. The Marblehead has been given to California for the exclusive use of the naval militia.

OFFICERS DENY NEGLIGENCE.

Federal Inspectors End Inquiry Into Loss of Life by Three of the President's Crew.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Testimony was closed today in the hearing of officers of the steamer President, who are charged with negligence during a storm on the night of November 26, when three seamen lost their lives in attempting to rescue a drowning passenger. The decision of the Federal inspectors is expected within a few days.

Capt. Richard J. Paulsen, First Officer H. W. Ravens and Second Officer T. Mathewson testified that everything possible was done to save the passenger, Clarence Leatham, and crew of the swamped lifeboat. Capt. Paulsen said he had given instructions to Ravens to supervise the launching of the boat. Ravens said all measures of precaution were taken, but that the rescuers were not provided with life belts. Ravens asserted that there were no lines available to throw to the drowning passenger.

Several passengers who witnessed the swamping of the lifeboat gave testimony unfavorable to the officers of the steamer. Charles S. Crawford, a Canadian contractor, said the President's searchlight, which was used to locate the imperiled seamen, "was a joke," and that the ship appeared to be in undue haste to get to San Francisco.

Hard to Please.

"DON'T WANT IT," SAYS HIRAM.

THE GOVERNOR HERE REFERS TO THE SENATORSHIP.

"In Fact I want to Be a Private Citizen in 1914," Executive Is Quoted to Have Told Politicians Bearing the Gift of the Toga. What He Said Is Not Final.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

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The committee fulfilled its mission yesterday, and Chairman Bentley told of the results today.

"When we first met," he said, "Gov. Johnson positively declined to consider any office for next year. He said he felt he could be of equal service to the party as a private citizen.

"The committee was surprised and urged him to reconsider his stand. The members explained to him that they considered it was essential, to the best interests of the party that he let his name be put forward for the Senatorship. Finally he promised to give the matter further consideration and that he would give us a definite answer at an early date.

"We did not argue harmony; we did not mention the names of other candidates and neither did Gov. Johnson. We merely endeavored to tell him what we believed to be the value to the party of his candidacy."

Gov. Johnson himself declined to make any comment on Bentley's account of how the committee had been received and said that he had no statement to make as yet.

FUGITIVE KILLS HIMSELF.

Treasurer of Moose Lodge at The Dalles, for Whom Warrant Was Out, Commits Suicide.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 15.—C. A. Rudell, book-keeper in a bank at The Dalles, who disappeared last Saturday after a warrant for his arrest had been issued on a charge of misappropriation of funds of the Moose Lodge, of which he was treasurer, committed suicide in a lodging-house here this afternoon.

Following his disappearance Mrs. Rudell received a telegram signed by an unknown person, informing her that her husband had been slain at Corbett. It was generally believed that Rudell had caused the telegram to be sent.

M'NAB ON THE STAND.

Testifies in the Case of William Corbin, Charged With Falsifying a Report to the State.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Arguments closed today in the case of William Corbin, secretary of the Continental Building and Loan Association, charged with falsifying a report to the State Building and Loan Commission. Judge Lawlor will instruct the jury early tomorrow afternoon and a verdict is expected before nightfall.

The final witnesses called included Gavin McNab, attorney for the association, who testified that the report which Corbin is accused of falsifying was true and that the $11,000 liability item which was omitted was done so advisedly and in good faith. The evidence in the case has been of a technical nature.

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Our Special Elgin Bracelet Watch—small size—7-jewel, complete in sterling silver case, at $10.

A small size 15-jewel movement, 14-carat gold case, extension bracelet in the new skylight gilt dial at $50.

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Purses and handsome card cases from $1.00 up.

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Corkscrews, Liqueur Bottles—Real ivory, walrus tusk and stag corkscrews with silver mountings, $2.75. Dutch silver liqueur bottles, made in Europe from early Dutch models, $14.50 to $25.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Dec. 16, 1913.

Bank clearings yesterday were $4,271,249.28, an increase of $40,297.80, compared with the corresponding day last year, and an increase of $645,456.70, compared with the corresponding day of 1911.

	1913.	1912.	1911.
Monday	$4,271,249.28	$4,230,951.99	$3,625,792.68

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Money on call easy, 3@4; ruling rate, 3; closing bid, 3½@4; time loans strong, sixty and ninety days, 5¼@5½; six months, 5@5¼; mercantile paper, 5½@6; sterling exchange steady, sixty days, 4.81 3-20; demand, 4.85 7-20; commercial bills, 4.80½; bar silver, 57½; Mexican dollars, 44½; government bonds irregular; railroad bonds weak.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 57 5-8; Mexican dollars, 47½; drafts, sight, par; do., telegraph, 2.

Stocks and Bonds.

MANY SHARES SHOW WEAKNESS.

MARKET FEELS INFLUENCE OF DAW TINKERING.

Telephone, Telegraph and Express Issues Are Naturally Affected by the Bears' Attacks When So Many Disturbing Bills Make Their Appearance at Washington.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—American Telephone broke 5½ points to 120 on the stock exchange today, the lowest price since 1908. Canadian Pacific lost five points. Western Union dropped 3 5-8 to 56 5-8, the lowest since 1910. It has been twenty years since American Express sold lower than today's mark of 108. New York Central, Pennsylvania, St. Paul, Missouri Pacific and a few other stocks sold at or below the year's bottom figure. Weakness of these shares affected the whole list, which showed losses of a point or so for many of the popular stocks and larger declines for various less active issues. Breaks in stocks with such dividend paying specials as American Telephone, Canadian Pacific and New York Central, which have been weak spots in the market for some time, indicated a general liquidation. New Haven, which gained more than a point, stood out conspicuously in a weak market. There was little change in the general situation. Further inquiry into the rumors and pessimistic predictions from Washington as to the effect of the proposed currency bill were talked of in the street as bearish factors. Although there were unmistakable signs of liquidation in spots most of the selling bespoke the lack of professional origin. The street showing of the banks in Saturday's statement had little effect on sentiment in the prevailing mood of traders. Call money rates eased off. Time money, however, was held firmly. Bonds were weak with some speculative issues 1 to 2 points lower. Total sales par value, $2,080,000. United States 2's coupon declined ½ and Panama 3's coupon advanced 3-8 on call.

New York Bond List.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Atchison Gen. 4s	92	92½
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	90	90½
R. & O. Gold 4s	91	91½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 5s	85½	86
Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s	91½	91¾
C. M. & St. P. Gen. 4½s	100½	101
C. R. I. Cnl. 4s	49¼	50
California Gas 5s	93	93½
C. S. G. Joint 4s	93¾	93¾
Erie Gen. 4s	70	71
Inter-Met. 4½s	73¾	74½
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s	92	92¾
Missouri Pacific 4s		64½
N. Y. C. Gen. 3½s		81
N. & W. 1st Con. 4s		78½
Northern Pacific 3s		68
Oregon Short Line Ref. 4s		89¾
Pacific Tel. 5s		93¾
Pennsylvania Con. 4s		95½
Reading Gen. 4s		92¾
St. L. & S. F. Rfg. 4s		79½
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s		89
Southern Pacific Col. 4s		88¾
Southern Railway 5s		102¾
Southern Railway 4s		73¾
Un. Pac. Inv. 4s		93
Union Pacific 1st and Ref. 4s		90
U. S. Steel 5s		99½
West Shore 4s		90½
Wabash 4s		46¼
Westinghouse Electric Conv. 5s		90
Wisconsin Central 4s		88

New York Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Today's curb market was very dull. Oils as a rule were inclined toward weakness. There were no features. North Butte was very active and strong. Alaska lost fractionally on a fair volume of trading. The market became very dull after the first hour, and continued so to the early afternoon. The close was quiet.

Following are today's closing quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Angio	2¾	2¾
"Belmont"	⅞	1
Braden Cop.	7	7¼
Bradley 8s.	145	150
British Col.	2	2¼
B. & M. Y.	7-16	1½
Chi. Cop.	7	8
Chief P.	58	62
Do. pfd.	92	96
Colorado	10	13
Con. Ariz.	3-16	¾
Davis Daly	1¾	2
Dobbs	13	14¼
Dolores	2	4
El Rayo	2	—
Ely Con.	1	3
El Paso	2¾	3
Emerson	20	27
Do. pfd.	80	87
Ely Con.	1	3
El Paso	2¾	3
Emerson	20	27
Do. pfd.	80	87
Fraction	5	7
Florence	10	13
Glenn	1	1
Gold Dollar	1	3
Giroux	⅞	1
Gold Sovereign	1	3
Hollinger	16¾	17¾
Hanauer	1¾	1¾
Halifax	1¾	1¾
Inca Silver	1	3
I. C. Rub.	6	8
J. Butler	63	66
Jumbo Ex.	1	3
Kerr Lake	4 7-16	4⅝
Keystone	1¾	1¾
La Rose	1 15-16	2
L. V. Coal	180	190
Lone Star	40	55
Lyon	1¾	1¾
Mass. Con.	4	5
Marsel	3¾	4
Mines Val.	3	4

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Mays Oil	15	17
McK. Dar.	1⅛	1 5-16
Mines of A.	2	3¼
Mond. Ton.	95	98
Mo. Ex.	25	30
Mont. Shos.	2	3
Nev. Hills	44	46
Nicosang	7⅞	⅞
Ohio Cop.	7-16	½
Pac. Gas & E. con.	34¾	35
Do. pfd.	81½	82¾
San Toy	15	20
Stour Con.	1	2
S. Utah	3-16	½
Stewart	1 5-16	1 7-16
Teh. Prod. pfd.	83	85½
Thompson	1	1¼
Tono. Ex.	1⅝	1 7-16
Tono. Mar.	50	52
Tribunitas	1-16	⅛
Trabuco	¾	⅞
Un. Cop.	1	1
Un. Verde pfd.	3	6
U. S. Light	4	6
W. Pac.	6	7
W. Pac. 8s	70	75
W. Power	15	18
Do. pfd.	31½	32
Wolverine	4c	4½
Yellow Aster	1-16	⅛
Yuba	¾	⅞

—Ex-dividend.

New York Oil Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Closing quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Anglo-Amer.	24	25
Atlantic	700	710
Borne S.	290	300
Buckeye	161	162
Cumberland	570	580
Crescent	1110	1125
Continental	210	215
Eureka	330	340
Galena	174	179
Do. pfd.	101	103
Ind. Pipe	133	137
Nat. Trans.	39	41
N. Y. Trans.	250	260
Ohio Pipe	109	112
Ohio Oil	117	120
Prairie	430	435
Solar	208	213

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
S. Pipe	240	245
S. F. Oil	260	270
S. Oil Cal.	225	230
S. Oil Ind.	460	470
S. Oil Ky.	610	620
S. Oil Neb.	340	370
S. Oil N. Y.	160	170
S. Oil Ohio	320	330
Swan & F.	250	265
Vacuum	650	660
Vacuum	190	194
Washburn	20	42
Weiss	90	95
Do. pfd.	2200	2220
S. Oil N. J.	360	365
S. Oil, old	1200	—
Do. subs.	800	—

Van Horn Assets Small.

CONCORD (N. H.) Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Liabilities exceeding $778,000 and assets of only $150 are shown in the schedule accompanying the bankruptcy petition filed today by Isaac Van Horn of Holderness, N.H., and Boston. Van Horn has been connected, with railroad and mining enterprises in Wyoming.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales—	High.	Low.	Close— Bid.	Asked.
200 Atlantic C. L.	118	117⅝	117	119
Allis Chalmers			8	9¼
Allis Chal. pfd.			42	46
14,800 Amalg. Copper	69⅝	68¼	68¼	69¼
Am. Agr. Chem.			43	45
Am. Agr. C. pfd.			90	92
600 Am. Car & Fdy.	45¾	45	45	45¾
Am. C. & F. pfd.			110	113
2,600 Am. Can Co.	26½	25⅞	26	26⅜
400 Am. Can Co. pfd.	87¾	87½	87½	88
200 Am. Beet Sugar	32¾	32¼	32	32½
Am. B. Sugar pfd.			69½	72
800 Am. Cotton Oil	35½	35	34½	35¼
Am. Cot. Oil pfd.			92½	94
Am. Ice Securities			23¼	23⅞
100 Am. Express	110½	110½	110	113
Am. Hide & L.			3½	4
Am. H. & L. pfd.			20	22
Am. Linseed			9½	10¼
200 Am. Linseed pfd.	27⅞	27½	27½	27½
3500 Am. Locomotive	29⅜	28¾	28¾	29¼
Am. Loco. pfd.			99	100
Am. Steel Fdy.			24¾	28
800 Am. S. & R. Co.	61¼	60¾	61	61¼
Am. S. & R. pfd.			90	92
200 Am. Sugar	101½	101½	100	102
Am. Sugar pfd.			106	112
Am. Steel			155	160
Am. Steel pfd.			103½	104
20,400 Am. Tel. & Tel.	114	110	110¼	111
2,000 Am. Tob. Co.	245	243	242½	244½
Am. Tob. pfd.			100	102
Am. Woolen			15	17¼
Am. Woolen pfd.			75	78½
300 Anaconda	44	43¾	43¾	44
1,000 A. T. & S. F.	99¾	99	99	99¼
100 A. T. & S. F. pfd.	98½	98¼	98	98½
1,200 Balt. & Ohio	91¾	90¾	91	91¾
100 B. R. & O. pfd.	80	80	79¾	80¼
100 Bethlehem Steel	29¼	28½	27½	28½
100 Beth. Steel pfd.	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¾
200 Brooklyn R. T.	80¼	80¼	80¼	80
Cal. Petrol.			16½	17
Cal. Petrol. pfd.			45	52
17,100 Canadian Pacific	220¾	217¼	216¼	218¼
1,200 Ches. & Ohio	58¾	58¼	58¼	58¾
1,100 C. & O.	58¾	58¼	58¼	58¾
100 Central Leather	25¾	25¾	25¾	26
100 Central L. pfd.	92¾	92¾	92¾	94
Central of N. J.			280	300
Chicago & Alton			9¾	15
C. & A. pfd.			11	19
200 C. & G. W.	11¾	11	11	12
100 C. & G. W. pfd.	27¾	27¾	27¾	28
300 C. & N. W.	134¾	134¼	134	134½
C. & N. W. pfd.			165	167
400 C. M. & St. P.	97¾	96¾	96¾	97¼
Do. pfd.			131	132
C. C. C. & St. L.			55	60
Do. pfd.	93	91¾	91	92
200 Colo. Fuel & Iron	39	39	38¾	39¾
C. F. & I. pfd.			100	107
Colo. Southern			27	30
Colo. So. 1st pfd.			50	60
Colo. So. 2nd pfd.			20	70
100 Consolidated Gas	139½	139½	139¼	137¾
100 Corn Products	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
2 00 Do. pfd.	62¾	62¾	62	63¼
Del. & Hudson			170	180
D. L. & W.			377	390
D. & R. G.			17¾	18
D. & R. G. pfd.			76	78
100 D. & R. G. pfd.	26¾	26¾	26¼	26¾
900 Distilling Sec.	15¾	15	15¼	15¾
D. S. & A.			4	5½
D. S. S. & A. pfd.			4	5½
2,100 Erie	27	26¾	26¾	27
1,800 Erie 1st pfd.	42¾	42	42	42¾
Erie 2nd pfd.			31	33
200 Gen. Electric	137¾	136¾	134¾	135
900 Goodrich Rubber	17¾	17	17	17¾
200 Great N. pfd.	126	126	125	126
100 Gt. Northern pfd.	123½	123¾	123¾	124
160 Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	31¾	31¼	31¼	31¾
Guggenheim Ex.			42	44
200 Illinois Central	105½	105	105	106
300 Inspiration Copper	14¼	14¼	14	14⅜
100 Int'l Harv. Co.	102	101	100	101
Int'l Harv. pfd.			110	111
Int'l Paper			7¾	8¼
Int'l Paper pfd.			24	30
Int'l Pump			41	45
Int'l Pump pfd.			87	90
Inter-Met.			5¼	6
Inter-Met. Marine			3¾	4
200 Do. pfd.	15¾	15¾	15¼	16
Iowa Central			12	14
Iowa Central pfd.			28	34
200 K. C. Southern	24¾	23¾	23¾	24
100 K. C. So. pfd.	59	59	58¼	59¼
800 L. & N.	134½	133¾	133¾	134¼
Lackaw. Ore Lease			90	100
1,900 Lehigh Valley	148¾	147¾	147¾	147¾
Lorillard & Maynes			111	120
Lorillard Tob. Co.			153	165
Do. pfd.			106	110
Loose Wiles Bis.			122	130
Do. pfd.			128	132
Manhattan			143	145
Inter-Met.			14¾	14¾
Inter-Met. pfd.	58½	57¾	58	58¼
Miami Copper Co.			21¾	21¾
200 Mex. Central Ctfs.	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Mex. C. 1st pfd.			23	31
1,100 Mex. Petrol. Co.	45¾	44	45	45
400 Mex. Petrol. pfd.	80	79¾	80	80
Mackay			72	79
Mackay pfd.			70	75
Minn. & St. L.			15	15
Do. 1st pfd.			25	35
M. St. P. & S.S.M.			120	127½
Do. pfd.			130	140
400 M., K. & Texas	19¾	19¼	19¼	19¾
200 M., K. & T. pfd.	53¾	53¾	53¼	54¼
1,500 Missouri Pacific	25	24¾	24¾	25
100 National Lead	63	62	62	64
Nat'l Lead pfd.			101¾	106
Nat'l Biscuit			117	120
100 Nat'l Biscuit pfd.	116¾	116¾	116¾	118
Nat'l Enamel			10	11
Nat'l Enamel pfd.			77	82
400 Nevada Con.	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
N. Y. Air Brake	34	33½	33½	34
9,200 N. Y. Central	91¾	90¾	90¾	91
N. Y. C. & St. L.			45	50
Do. 1st pfd.			81	88
Do. 2nd pfd.			81	88
100 N. Y. Ont. & W.	26¾	26¾	25¾	26¼
200 Norfolk & W.	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
N. & W. pfd.			97	98
North American			87	92
2,100 Northern Pacific	107	106	106¼	106¾
Omaha			117	125
Omaha pfd.			130	140
Pacific Mail			27¾	28¼
Pac. Tel. & Tel.			22¼	22¾
Pac. T. & T. pfd.			80	85
8,800 People's Gas & Ch. Co.	106¾	106	106¼	106¼
400 People's Gas	116	115¾	115¾	116
Pittsburg Coal			17	18
Pitts. Coal pfd.			85	90
200 Pitts. Coal	25	25	25	25
Pressed Steel Car			23	30
P. Steel Car pfd.			92	98
Pacific Coast			30	40
600 P. C. C. & St. L.	80	79½	79¾	81½
Do. pfd.			110	117
600 Pullman	150½	150½	150	152
500 Ry. Cons.	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Ry. Steel Springs			39	45
Ry. Steel S. pfd.			91	97½
51,500 Reading	162¾	160¾	161¾	161¾
Reading 1st pfd.			89	90
Reading 2nd pfd.	85¼	85¼	85	90
200 Republic I. & S.	19¾	19¼	19¼	19½
Do. pfd.			93¾	98¼
R. I. & S. pfd.			19¼	19¾
600 Rock Island	15¼	15	15¼	15¾
600 Rock Island pfd.	19¾	19	19¼	19¾
100 Sears Roebuck Co.	172	172	172	172½
Do. pfd.			122¾	
Sloss S. & I.			45	50
Do. pfd.			85	90
S. L. & S. F. com.			4	4½
Do. 1st pfd.			7	19½
Do. 2nd pfd.	7¼	7	7	7¾
S. L. & S. W.			21	21½
Do. pfd.			57	58
4,900 Southern Pacific	85¾	85½	85½	85¾
100 Southern Railway	21¾	21¾	21¼	21¾
Southern Ry. pfd.			74	75
Studebaker com.			17	18
100 Studebaker pfd.	66¼	66¼	65	67½
300 Third Ave. Ry.	39¾	38¾	39	39¾
Tenn. Copper			28¼	28¾
Texas Oil			110	115
500 Texas Pacific	12¾	11¾	11¾	12
T., St. L. & W.			7¾	9¼
Do. pfd.				20
100 Twin City R. T.	105¼	105¼	104	106
100 U. S. A. P. Co.	5	5	4¾	5¼
U. S. A. P. pfd.			20½	28
22,200 Union Pacific	150¾	149¾	149¾	149¾
U. P. pfd.			82¾	83½
2,600 Utah Copper	47¾	47	47	47¾
U. S. R. of S. F.			14	21
Do. pfd.			22	28
U. S. C. Iron Pipe			9¼	31
U. S. C. I. F. pfd.			39	45
U. S. Express			41	45
U. S. R. & Cem.			54	65
U. S. R. & R. Co.			1	1¼
Do. pfd.			1	1¼
U. S. Rubber			54¼	55
800 U. S. R. 1st pfd.	100	100	100	100¼
U. S. R. 2nd pfd.			63	92
U. S. Steel Cor.	56	54¾	55¼	55¾
40,800 U. S. Steel pfd.	104¾	104¼	104¼	105
600 Va. Chem.	26¾	25	24	25
Do. pfd.			95	98
200 Va. Coal & Coke	37	36	36	40
300 Wabash	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
600 Wabash pfd.	9¼	9	9	10
Wells-Fargo Ex.			80	92
1,800 Western Union	60¼	59¾	59¾	60
1,400 Westinghouse	64	62¾	62¾	63
Do. 1st pfd.			112	116¾
200 Western Md. com.	30½	30	30	30¾
Western Md. pfd.			50	60
100 W. & L. E.	4¾	4¾	4	5
Do. 1st pfd.			16	18
Do. 2nd pfd.			9	9
100 Wisconsin Central	42¾	42¾	41	43
Woolworth com.			86	87
Woolworth pfd.			110¾	113¾
14,500 N. Y., N. H. & H.	68¾	67¾	68¼	68¾
300 Alaska	20	20	19¾	20
Alaska Bunker			14	19
200 Bamby pfd.	34¾	34¾	34¾	37

Total sales, 297,200 shares.
Money opened at 4 per cent.; highest, 4 per cent.; lowest, 3 per cent.; last loan, 4 per cent.; closed, 3½@4 per cent.; ruling rate, 4 per cent.

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 15.—Closing bid and asked quotations:

	Close— Bid.	Ask.
Bank Trn.	4¼	5
Black Jack	9	10
Colorado	10½	11
Columbus	—	10
Daly Judge	—	600
Grand Cent.	51	60
Iron Blos.	115	117¼
Little Bell	—	25
Lower M.	1	2
May Day	5	7
Nor. Hills	29	30
Ohio Cop.	40	45
Prince Con.	21	25
S. K. Coal	200	225
Stour Con.	1	—
Tint. Cent.	⅝	1
Uncle Sam	5¼	6
Utah Con.	—	—
Vic. Con.	28	35
Yankee Con.	5	6
G. Chain	12¼	28
S. K. Con.	155	197

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Investment Shares Show Eight-Point Gain at Close—Oil Issues Are Quiet and Easy.

Los Angeles Investment was much more active yesterday on the Stock Exchange, and revealed quite pronounced strength. The opening was at 1.06, a gain of4 points, and thereafter the price advanced almost steadily, with the close at 1.14. Shares traded in aggregated 25,000.

Oil issues were quiet. Ten shares of Ugden changed hands at $1.00, a new "low" for the present movement. National Pacific and Maricopa Northern were easier.

LOCAL CLOSING.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman building.]

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 75.00	
Associated	$8.12½	38.62½
Brookshire	.10	.25
Cal. Midway	....	.09
Capital	....	.03
Columbia	....	.75
Continental	....	.15
Eagle	....	.06
Fullerton	2.50	3.50
Globe	.01½	.02½
Jade	.02½	.06
Maricopa Northern	.07½	.07¾
Midway Northern	.19¾	.20
National Pacific	.05¼	.05½
New Penn	.10	.15
Rice Ranch	.55	1.05
Traders	....	2.00
Union	51.00	51.50
Union Prov.	65.00	70.00
United Pet.	65.50	....
United	....	.15
West Coast	85.00	....

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	....	$175.00
Citizens' National	225.00	....
Commercial National	....	225.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	....	350.00
Federal Bank of L. A.	127.50	160.00
First National	....	925.00
German-American Savings	240.00	285.00
Globe Savings	110.50	....
Hibernian Sav. Bank	118.00	160.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	145.00	....
Merchants' National	200.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	225.00	300.00
Security Trust & Savings	350.00	400.00
Traders	105.00	115.00
U. S. National	....	185.00

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$130.00	....
Cal. Hospital	73.00	82.50
Consolidated Realty	....	102.50
Cent. Sts. & P.	20.00	27.00
Home Tel.	....	10.00
L. A. Athletic Club	7.00	8.00
L. A. Investment	1.00	1.05½
Occidental Life	120.00	140.00
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	625.00	650.00
Prod. Trans.	71.75	72.25
San Dimas H. T. & T. Co.	5.00	7.00
S. Monica Bay R. T. Co.	....	....
Sec. Inv. Ethel pfd.	90.00	....
So. Cal. Edison com.	82.50	....
Sou. Drug Co.	....	1.00
U. S. A.	....	210.00
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd.	11.25	12.00

BONDS.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co. 6s	90	....
Associated Oil 5s	97	....
Cal. Pac. Ry. 5s	....	102
Corona City Water Co. 6s	....	103¼
Cucamonga Water 6s	97½	....
Cucamonga Water 6s	97½	....
Edison Elec., old issue, 5s	....	....
Edison Elec., old issue, 5s	....	....
Home Telephone Co. 5s	90	93½
Home Tel. 1st Ref. 6s	90	93½
Home Tel. 1st Ref. 6s	100	101½
L. A. & Pac. Ry. 6s	99¼	100
L. A. Gas and Elec. 5s	95	100¼
L. A. Pac., 1st Cons. Mtge. 5s	....	104
L. A. Pac. Ref. Purch. 5s	94½	95
L. A. Pasadena Elec. Ry. 5s	....	105
L. A. Public Market 6s	100¼	....
L. A. Railway 5s	104	104½
L. A. Railway Co.	....	....
L. A. Traction 6s	100	101½
Mex. Nat. Gas 6s	....	....
Mission Tract. & R. Co. 5s	97¼	99
Mt. Lowe Ry. 5s	94	....
Pac. Elec. Ry. 5s	100	101
Pac. Elec. Ry. 5s	99¾	....
Pac. L. A. P. Gtd. 5s	99¾	....
Pac. L. A. P. Gtd. 5s	99	....
Pasadena Home Tel. 5s	....	95
Pasadena Home Tel. 5s	94½	....
Pomona Con. Water 6s	....	....
Prod. Trans. 6s	88	91
San Dimas H. T. & T. 5s	....	94½
S. D. H. T. & T. 1st Ref. 5s	51½	....
S. Dimas Home Tel. Co. 5s	....	90
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry. 5s	....	97
Tehachapi 6s	....	....
Tennessee Co. 5s	....	101
Traders 6s	....	100
Union Ice 6s	92	95
Union Trans. Co. 5s	87½	90
U. S. L. D. T. & T. 5s	60½	....
Visalia Water 6s	....	102

[Mar]ket—Grain. [I]ndustrial Progress: Shipping—Copper.

[SOUTHER]N CITRUS [FRUI]T QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIR]E TO THE TIMES.]

NAVELS.

Pioneer, C.C., Lindsay ...
Mallard, Randolph Ft. Co. ...
Forget-me-not, T.C. Ponca ...
Carmen, Randolph Ft. Co. ...
Sunbow ...

LEMONS.

Protection, C.C., Lemoncove ...
Clubhouse, C.C., Lemoncove ...
Buckeye, C.C., Lemoncove ...

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cool. Market strong on large sizes, ... small sizes. Fifteen cars Floridas sold, ... $2.70.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cloudy, cold. Market is steady. Nine cars sold.

NAVELS.

Naranjo Prize, T.C. Naranjo ...
Gold of Ophir, Butte Co., Palermo ...
Golden Orchard, Ind. Ft. Co. ...
Tesoro, M.O. Dia ...
Pride of West, C.C., Lindsay ...
Golden Pheasant, Ind. Ft. Co. ...
Hollywreath, O'Neill Ft. Co. ...
Gobbler, M.O. Dia ...

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three cars of oranges sold. Cool. ... Floridas sold. General average $2.18.

NAVELS.

Niagara, Stewart Ft. Co. ...
Blue Label, C.C. Lindsay ...
Bridal Veil ...
Red Ball, C.C. Lindsay ...

Los Angeles Market.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 15.—One car ... one withdrawn.

NAVELS.

Blue Moose, A.D.F. Alexandro ...
Red Moose, A.F.D. ...

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

	Oranges.	Lemons.	Total.
Friday, Dec. 12	21	7	[illegible]
Sat., Sun., Dec. 13-14	31	3	[illegible]
Total to date this season	600	138	[illegible]
Total to same date last season	1,409	286	[illegible]

TULARE COUNTY.

Dec. 11, oranges, 117; Dec. 12, oranges, 16.

BUTTE COUNTY.

Dec. 11, oranges, 9; Dec. 12, oranges, 18.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET. FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Flour, family extras, 5.00@6.00; bakers' extras, 4.65@5.20; ... 4.60@7.40; Kansas, 6.00@6.25.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.50; barley, 1.25@1.40.

Oats—Red (for seed,) 1.00@2.15; white, 1.65@1.47½; black, 2.50@3.00.

Hay—Wheat, 19.00@21.00; wheat and oat, ... @18.00; tame oat, 17.50@18.50; wild oat, ... 16.00; straw, 65@90; alfalfa, 12.00@16.50.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 29.00@32.00; rolled barley, 27.50@28.50.

Receipts—Flour, 8442 quarters; barley, ... sacks; beans, 571 sacks; potatoes, 2870 sacks; hay, 627 tons; hides, 1175 in number; wine, ... gallons.

Fruit—Apples, Bellefleurs, 1.25@1.60; Newtown pippins, 1.25@1.65; other varieties, 40@1.25; Mexican limes, 4.00@5.00; California lemons, 3.00@6.75; bananas, 1.00@1.75; pineapples, 2.00@3.50.

Beans—Pink, 3.45@3.60; limas, 5.10@5.25; small white, 4.90@5.40; large white, 3.85@3.70.

Potatoes—River delta whites, 75@1.25; Salinas Burbanks, nominal; Oregon Burbanks, 80@1.25; sweets, 1.80@1.75.

Onions—2.00@2.50.

Vegetables—Green peas, 5@10; string beans, 8@10; tomatoes, 40@1.00; cucumbers, 1.00@1.25.

Poultry—Roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; young, ... @7.50; broilers, large, 4.50@5.00; small, ... @5.00; ducks, old, 4.00@6.00; young, 7.00@8.00; fryers, 5.00@6.00; hens, 4.00@10.00; geese, 1.50@2.00; pigeons, old, 1.50; young, 1.50.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, fancy creamery, 31; seconds, ... Eggs, fancy ranch, 56½; store, 43. Cheese, new, 17@17½; Young Americas, 15@17.

Grain.

CEREAL MARKET REMAINS FIRM.

CROP REPORT IS TOO LATE TO AFFECT PRICES.

Some Weakness Is Displayed by Wheat Until News of the Decrease in the United States Visible Supply Gives It Much Rallying Strength.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Bearish figures in the government crop report on wheat and bullish figures as to corn came too late to affect prices today. The tone of all cereals at the close was firm, with wheat unchanged to ⅛ up, corn varying from a shade lower to ¼@⅜ advance, and oats the same as Saturday night, to ⅛ off. Provisions finished 2½ to 20 decline. Wheat, after an early display of weakness, made a decided rally, the result of a big decrease in the United States visible total. The well grounded fear of a bearish government report overcame ... the counter influence of huge receipts of cattle ... followed suit. Provisions, although ... down grade, owing to ... receipts of hogs here and at other western centers.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Following is range of quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
December	.90	.90⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	.91⅝	.92⅝	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	.88⅜	.89⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn—				
December	.69⅝	.69⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	.69⅝	.69⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	.68⅝	.69	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats—				
December	.39⅝	.39	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	.41⅝	.41⅜	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	.40⅝	.41	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pork—				
January	20.70	20.72	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	20.90	20.90	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lard—				
January	10.70	10.70	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	11.02	11.02	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ribs—				
January	10.87	10.87	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	11.07	11.10	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Bid. **Asked.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Close: Wheat, December, 89⅞; May, 92⅝. Corn, May, 69⅞; December, 69¼; May, 69⅝. Oats, May, 41⅜. ... Pork, January, 20.70; May, 20.95. Ribs, January, 10.70; May, 11.08. Cash corn: All new; No. 2 ... 3, 68@68½; No. 3 white, 64½@69; ... Rye, No. 2, ... Clover, ... Timothy, 4.00@5.60.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat: New club, 82½@83; blue stem, ... forty-fold, 83@83½; red Russian, ... 85@85½.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, spot steady. Hops, steady; State common to choice, 1913, 40@46; 1912, 20@25; Pacific coast, 1913, 24@28; 1912, 20@25. Hides, steady; Central America, 29½. Petroleum, steady; refined New York bulk, 5.25; ... Wool, steady, domestic fleece, ... 25@26.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Evaporated apples quiet; fancy, 10½@11; ... 9½@9¾; prime, 8@8½. Prunes firm; California, ... 8¼@12; Oregons, 8¾@11. Apricots steady; choice, 15½; extra choice, 16½@... fancy, 15@18. Peaches dull but firm; ... 6¾@7; fancy, 7@8. Raisins ... loose muscatels, ... choice to fancy seeded, ... seedless, 4¾@6½; London layers, ...

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Copper steady; standard, spot, December and January offered 14.25; February and March 14.37½@14.50; Lake, 14.75; electrolytic, 14.37½@14.50; casting, 14.00@14.12½. Tin ... 37.50 nominal; ... spot and December, 37.60@37.95; ... January, 37.60@37.90; February, ... Lead, quiet, 3.95@4.05. ... Spelter quiet, ... London, £17 17s 6d. ... London, £21 5s.

[TURPEN]TINE AND ROSIN. [SAVAN]NAH QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAVANNAH, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] ... sales, 511; receipts, 356; ... Rosin, firm; sales, ... receipts, ... shipments, 4600; stocks, ... 3.95; ... 2.70; K, ... WW, 6.40.

Tentative.

NEW LINE UNDER CONSIDERATION.

[PRESID]ENT SPROULE TELLS OF SOUTHERN PACIFIC PLANS.

[Roa]d from Mojave to Bakersfield, [Whi]ch in Effect a Parallel Track, [Will] Be Constructed as Soon as [the] Funds Necessary Can Be Se[cured]—Will Cost Three Millions.

"[A] new line will be built from Mojave to Bakersfield as soon as we can [get] the needed money," said President Sproule of the Southern Pacific ... "This new line, which will be, in effect, a double-tracking of the present line is only one of a number of important improvements that are being held up by the dullness of the present market for railroad securities.

"The Santa Fe is now our tenant on this line under a long-term lease, and the traffic between the north and south ... which it is continually doing ... this stretch of track is becoming seriously congested."

Regarding the details of the proposed improvement, Sproule stated that, though various surveys for the line have been made, no definite route has been decided on.

"If we can follow the present line ... for the future, the new section will follow it," he stated. "On the contrary, if it seems good to branch off to the westward the new line will take that route."

The reports in Southern Pacific offices of this city that the proposed line will be eighty-seven miles in length and will cost $3,000,000, Sproule stated were merely the outside of tentative estimates as to the distance to be covered and money to be spent.

"We are always figuring on one thing or another," he stated, "and always making estimates. But nothing is final in estimates these days, for, until the money is assured to make the improvements, all estimates must be necessarily tentative."

In spite of his outspokenness on the present tone of the market for railroad securities, Sproule stated that the public need feel no apprehension as to the continued good character of the service to be expected from the railroads.

"The Southern Pacific," he stated, "as well as many other railroads, has the reputation of good service to maintain, and it will be maintained, regardless of possible dividends."

As to the object of his visit here, Sproule stated that it was a call to routine matters, and had no significance.

FIRST OF FLEET. IS HEADED THIS WAY.

Her place in the North Atlantic, on the way to this port, the Kosmos steamer Luxor is "finding itself" ... to borrow the partial title of one of Kipling's stories—as the precursor of the other great vessels to be built for the Pacific Coast service. The Luxor, which is of 12,000 tons, ... feet over all, sixty-foot ... and rated at twelve knots an hour, is big sister to the fleet of other vessels that the Kosmos line now maintains in service between Germany and this port. The ... the Serak, Sebara and ... The last-named is now unloading a heavy cargo at this port. The ... of all great shipping ... to the man-made harbor of Los Angeles, the Kosmos Line will, ... be one of the two or three of most importance. A glance at the tonnage rating of the Luxor, ... is but one of ten great freighters that will eventually call here, is ... to show this.

[WOULD]N'T MARRY.

[Joseph] E. Ciboch, a Bohemian, charged with having brought Bertha ... from Providence in violation of the [Mann] Act, was arraigned before [United] States Commissioner Williams, [yesterday] afternoon, and in default of bail was sent to the County Jail. Examination of Ciboch is set for [tomorrow] morning at 10 o'clock. He said he wants an attorney to look after his interests. Ciboch bitterly denies the allegations against him. He says he first became acquainted with ... Lake through a correspondence with a marriage bureau, and that she came to Los Angeles. He intended to marry her, but ...

[FINED] FOR CRUELTY.

A. Pedersen was given a nominal fine by Justice Reeve yesterday for cruelty to animals. He was given an opportunity to place the animal in pasturage until it recovers from hard usage.

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Cables were about as ... the market here opened 15 to 18 points ... liquidation and short selling. Leading ... were early sellers on the break, ... which made the extreme ... for the day. Early ... the big spot houses, bought in ... and the close was only fairly steady ... of the National Ginners and Turner ... about 100,000 bales more ... ginned from December 1 to 12 than ... the main features contributing to ...

Following is range of quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.65	12.44	12.49	12.50
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.46	12.47
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.78	12.60	12.66	12.68
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.64	12.66
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.78	12.56	12.63	12.64
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.50	12.61
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.65	12.50	12.55	12.57
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.64	12.50	12.33	12.34
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.87	12.90
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	11.75	11.75	11.76
[illegible]	[illegible]	12.61	12.61	12.65	12.66

[Spot] ... 30 points at 13.00.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York Stock Exchange, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Following is range of quotations:

	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.36	9.37
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.48	9.49
[illegible]	9.56	9.50	9.60	9.62
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.73	9.75
[illegible]	9.84	9.84	9.87	9.88
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.97	9.98
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.07	10.08
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.10	10.11
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.24	10.25
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.28	10.30
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10.32	10.34
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	9.34	9.36

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, Capt. McDonald, from San Francisco.
Steamer Helene, Capt. Anderson, from Aberdeen, via San Diego.
Steamer Yosemite, Capt. Maro, from Portland.
Steamer Santa Monica, Capt. Olson, from Redondo.
Barkentine Fremont, from Santa Monica.

SAILED.

Steamer Rose City, Capt. Rankin, for San Francisco and Portland.
Steamer Yosemite, Capt. Maro, for San Diego.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, Capt. McDonald, for Balboa.
Steamer Klamath, Capt. Jahnsen, for Portland.
Steamer Pasadena, Capt. McGovern, for San Francisco.
Steamer Helene, Capt. Anderson, for Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Hornet, Capt. Marzen, for Redondo.
Steamer Santa Monica, Capt. Olson, for Eureka.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Name of vessel.	Wharf.
Dec. 16	Portland, Northland.	
Dec. 16	S. F. & Port., Yucatan	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 16	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Dec. 16	Seattle & S. F., Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 16	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 16	Astoria, Gen. Hubbard	Hammond
Dec. 17	San Diego, Yucatan	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 18	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Dec. 18	San Diego, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 18	Port. and S. F., Beaver	S.F.&P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 19	San Diego, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Dec. 19	S. F. & way, Santa Clara	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 19	S. F. & way, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 20	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 21	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Dec. 21	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Dec. 21	San Diego, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 21	San Diego, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 22	S. F. & Port., Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.

TO SAIL.

Date.	For—Name of vessel.	Wharf.
Dec. 16	San Francisco, Rosalie Mahoney	So.C.L.Co.
Dec. 16	San Diego, Yucatan	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 16	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Dec. 16	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Dec. 17	S. F. & Port., Yucatan	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 17	San Francisco, Siask (Ger.)	O.H.D.&W.Co.
Dec. 17	San Francisco, Tallac	S.P.R.R.
Dec. 17	San Diego, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 18	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 18	S. F. & Seattle, Governor	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 18	San Diego, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Dec. 19	S. F. & way, Santa Clara	N.P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 19	San Francisco, Harvard	P.N.Co.
Dec. 19	S. F. & Port., Beaver	S.F.&P.S.S.Co.
Dec. 20	San Diego, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 20	San Diego, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 21	San Francisco, Yale	P.N.Co.
Dec. 21	San Francisco, Hanalei	Crescent
Dec. 21	S. F. & way, Queen	P.C.S.S.Co.
Dec. 22	San Diego, Roanoke	N.P.S.S.Co.

The vessels given above are American steamships except when otherwise stated. The wharves are those used by the ships at the present time.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Danish motor ship Siam, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Antwerp, Oct. 30, and Callao, Nov. 29.
British steamer Engineer, Capt. Richards, sailed from Liverpool, Nov. 15.
Steamer Ramses, Capt. Vierth, from Hamburg, sailed from Santos, Dec. 5.
British steamer Robert Dollar, Capt. Morton, sailed from Mororan, Dec. 6.
Steamer Santa Cecelia, Capt. Anderson, sailed from New York, Nov. 29.
British steamer Crown of Toledo, sailed from Hull, Dec. 5.
Steamer Carlos, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Seattle, Dec. 10.
Steamer Northland, Capt. Bodge, sailed from Portland, Dec. 11.
Steamer Siskiyou, Capt. Hansen, sailed from Columbia River, Dec. 10.
Steamer Avalon, Capt. Benson, sailed from Willapa, Dec. 11.
Steamer Norwood, Capt. Knudsen, sailed from Gray's Harbor, Dec. 11.
Steamer General Hubbard, Capt. Delegard, sailed from Astoria, Dec. 11.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Capt. Rosse, sailed from Astoria, Dec. 12.
Steamer Willapa, Capt. Johnson, sailed from South Bend, Dec. 12.
Steamer Oliver J. Olsen, Capt. Payne, sailed from Columbia River, Dec. 12.
Steamer J. B. Stetson, Capt. Lofstrom, sailed from Aberdeen, Dec. 12.
Steamer Shna Yak, Capt. Kloss, sailed from Tacoma, Dec. 12.
Steamer St. Helens, Capt. Odland, sailed from Hoquiam, Dec. 12.
Steamer Doris, Capt. Olson, sailed from Aberdeen, Dec. 13.
Steamer Shasta, Capt. Langfelde, sailed from Bellingham, Dec. 13.

LOADING FOR THIS PORT.

Schooner Lucy, at Umpqua.
British steamer Lord Lonsdale, at Antwerp.
German steamer Mera, at Hamburg.
British steamer Crown of Galicia, at Antwerp.
British steamer Indramayo, at Manila.
Norwegian steamer Jason, at Guaymas.
Steamer Wilmington, at Puget Sound.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, at San Francisco.
Steamer Necanicum, at Eureka.
Steamer H. D. Bendixsen, at Portland.
Steamer San Gabriel, at Umpqua River.
Steamer Mandalay, at Crescent City.
Steamer Davenport, at Ludlow.
Steamer Daisy Putnam, at Columbia River.
Steamer Edgar H. Vance, at Columbia River.
Steamer Helen P. Drew, at Greenwood.
Steamer Olson and Mahoney, at Columbia River.
Steamer Carmel, at Gray's Harbor.
Steamer James S. Higgins, at Fort Bragg.

IN PORT.

Steamer Cabrillo, at Banning wharf.
Schooner Beulah, at S. P. slip.
Steamer Rosalie Mahoney, at So. Cal. Lumber Co. wharf.
Steamer Tallac, at S. P. wharf.
Steamer Harvard, at Pac. Nav. Co. wharf.
German steamer Siask, at O. H. D. & W. Co.
Barkentine Fremont, outer harbor.
Chinese junk Ning Po, outer harbor.

TIDE TABLE AT SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Tuesday,	Dec. 16	10:28 a.m.	3:48 a.m.
			5:37 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 17	12:36 a.m.	4:46 a.m.
		11:13 a.m.	6:22 p.m.
Thursday,	" 18	1:23 a.m.	6:00 a.m.
		12:13 p.m.	7:12 p.m.
Friday,	" 19	2:15 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
		1:28 p.m.	8:04 p.m.
Saturday,	" 20	3:08 a.m.	9:10 a.m.
		2:03 p.m.	9:05 p.m.
Sunday,	" 21	3:59 a.m.	10:25 a.m.
		4:44 p.m.	10:13 p.m.
Monday,	" 22	4:50 a.m.	11:42 a.m.
		6:08 p.m.	11:07 p.m.

FERRIES.

For East San Pedro: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every fifteen minutes, day and night.
For Terminal: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street every half hour from 6:15 a.m. to 11:45 p.m.
For Long Beach: Launch leaves foot of Fifth street hourly from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. On Sunday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

AVALON, SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

Leave.		Arrive.
10:00 a.m.	Steamer Hermosa.	6:00 p.m.

HARBOR ITEMS.

On the whole yesterday proved to be a day of little activity at the harbor. No passenger ships arrived and only one sailed, the Rose City, with 140 passengers and 200 tons of freight for San Francisco and Portland. The Yucatan and Northland should have arrived, but were delayed by fog and rough weather at the mouth of the Columbia River. Two Lewis Luckenbachs arrived from San Francisco; Mr. Luckenbach, who is head of the office there, was landed on a pilot boat in the open sea from the steamer Damara. The steamer Lewis Luckenbach loaded 650 tons of general merchandise, the greater part being canned goods, wines and hides, and continued her voyage to Balboa. The Damara was reported to be en route to New York by way of the Strait of Magellan.

The Helene came in from San Diego and discharged 240,000 feet of lumber at the San Pedro Lumber Company yard and sailed for Gray's Harbor. The Yosemite, from Portland, discharged a part cargo of lumber and left for San Diego. The Santa Monica returned from Redondo, unloaded the balance of her cargo of lumber and sailed for Eureka. Three other lumber steam schooners sailed; the Klamath for Portland; the Pasadena, for San Francisco, and the Hornet for Redondo.

The Richmond, said to be the largest oil tank steamer on the Pacific Coast, is due to reach San Francisco, on her maiden voyage from New York, Thursday. The new tanker belongs to the Standard Oil Company and other additions to the company's fleet are to be built in the East. The George Loomis, that has been undergoing repairs at the Golden Gate, will return to Los Angeles within a short time. The oil companies here are now supplying an ever-increasing number of ships with fuel and the Loomis will probably be kept on the Ventura-El Segundo-Los Angeles run.

REDONDO BEACH.

ARRIVED—MONDAY, DEC. 15.

Steamer Siskiyou, Capt. Hansen, from San Pedro.

SAILED—MONDAY, DEC. 15.

Steamer Siskiyou, Capt. Hansen, for San Pedro.
Steamer Santa Monica, Capt. Olsen, for San Pedro.

SCHEDULE OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF PASSENGER VESSELS.

FRIDAY, Dec. 19.—Steamship Queen, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, en voyage for San Diego, via San Pedro.

PORT ITEMS.

Steamer Siskiyou arrived today from San Pedro with 175,000 feet of lumber and sailed this evening for San Pedro with the remainder of the cargo. Steamer Santa Monica sailed today for San Pedro, after unloading a cargo of lumber here.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Arrived: Steamers Virginian, San Diego; Yale, Fair Oaks, Los Angeles; tug Sea Rover, Long Beach.
Sailed: Steamers Bandon, Norwood, Los Angeles; Governor, San Diego.

METAL MARKETS.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard copper, steady. Spot, 14.25 bid. Electrolytic, 14.37½@14.50. Lake, 15.00@15.50, nominal; casting, 14.00@14.12½.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, quiet. New York, 3.95@4.05.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 57⅞.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. SELLING IS PROFESSIONAL.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Canadian Pacific and American Telephone were conspicuous for their weakness, whereas New Haven was relatively firm on scattered short covering. The stock list generally was irregular, but St. Paul, Union Pacific and Reading held comparatively well and offered fair resistance to pressure. The recent discussion relative to the probable effect of the enactment of a currency and banking law such as that now under consideration at Washington, especially in so far as it pertained to inflation, seemingly had an adverse effect on foreign sentiment, as a large portion of the pressure on Canadian Pacific was attributed to foreign distrust. New England investors, owing to the severe declines in issues which heretofore were considered substantial investments, have apparently become seized with a desire to rid themselves of stocks, which, in many instances, have been held for a quarter of a century. Consequently despite the small lines of securities carried by commission houses generally the floating supply of stocks has been increased in a marked degree, thus facilitating professional operations for a decline.

FINAL CROP PRODUCTION. GOVERNMENT ESTIMATES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Final estimates of production and value of fourteen of the important crops which form a part of the enormous grand total, aggregating approximately $9,000,000,000, of wealth produced on farms through the soil and farmers' live stock during 1913, were announced today by the crop reporting board, Bureau of Statistics, Department of Agriculture. The figures are the official government estimates of acreage, production and value, based on prices paid to farmers on December 1. These fourteen crops are only a portion of the production of the soil which approximates $6,000,000,000 in value each year. The total value of the animal products of the farm is estimated at about $3,000,000,000 annually.

"The production of crops in the United States in 1913 was materially below the average," the Secretary of Agriculture, David F. Houston, announces. "the yield per acre of all crops combined being smaller than in any year of the past decade, with the exception of 1911. This shortage was caused by a severe drought, accompanied by excessive heat during the summer months, in an important portion of the agricultural district of the United States, and particularly in Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and adjacent States.

"Inasmuch as crop production of 1912 was unusually large, a greater proportion than usual has been carried into the present crop year, which should mitigate somewhat the effects of the shortage of this year's crops.

"The corn crop, the most valuable farm product of this country, is smaller than any crop since 1903. Wheat production is the largest ever recorded in this country. The crop was practically matured before the drought became effective. The oat crop is the third largest of our history. There has been a steady expansion of the area of this crop. The hay crop is smaller than the large crop of 1912. Rather liberal rains in the late summer and fall have produced good pastures. The crop will perhaps rank fourth or third in size.

"The acreage devoted to these five crops (corn, wheat, oats, hay and cotton,) comprises about 90 per cent. of the area in all crops, and therefore has a predominant effect upon the general average condition of all crops. Nearly all the minor crops were materially smaller this year than in 1912 and the per-acre yields below their average.

"To the producers the lessened crop production this year is largely compensated by the increased prices received for their produce; for, although the total crop production is approximately 12 per cent. smaller than last year's production, the average level of prices is higher than last year."

The final estimates of today, with comparisons for 1912 and 1911, follow:

CORN: Area harvested, 105,820,000 acres, compared with 107,083,000 acres last year, and 105,825,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 23.1 bushels, compared with 29.2 bushels last year and 23.9 bushels in 1911. Production, 2,446,988,000 bushels, compared with 3,124,746,000 bushels last year and 2,531,488,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 69.1 cents, compared with 48.7 cents last year, and 61.8 cents in 1911. Total value of the crop, $1,692,092,000, compared with $1,520,454,000 last year and $1,565,258,000 in 1911.

WINTER WHEAT: Area harvested, 31,699,000 acres, compared with 26,571,000 acres last year, and 29,162,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 16.5 bushels, compared with 15.1 bushels last year and 14.8 bushels in 1911. Total production, 523,561,000 bushels, compared with 399,919,000 bushels last year, and 430,656,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 82.9 cents, compared with 80.9 cents last year, and 88 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $433,995,000, compared with $323,572,000 last year and $379,151,000 in 1911.

SPRING WHEAT: Area harvested, 18,485,000 acres, compared with 19,243,000 acres last year, and 20,381,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 13 bushels, compared with 17.2 bushels last year, and 9.4 bushels in 1911. Total production, 239,819,000 bushels, compared with 330,348,000 bushels last year, and 190,682,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 74.4 cents, compared with 70.1 cents last year, and 86 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $176,127,000, compared with $231,708,000 last year, and $164,032,000 in 1911.

ALL WHEAT: Area harvested, 50,184,000 acres, compared with 45,814,000 acres last year, and 49,543,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 15.2 bushels, compared with 15.9 bushels last year, and 12.5 bushels in 1911. Total production, 763,380,000 bushels, compared with 730,267,000 bushels last year, and 621,338,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 79.9 cents, compared with 76 cents last year, and 87.4 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $610,124,000, compared with $555,280,000 last year, and $543,063,000 in 1911.

OATS: Area harvested, 38,399,000 acres, compared with 37,917,000 acres last year, and 37,763,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 29.2 bushels, compared with 37.4 bushels last year, and 24.4 bushels in 1911. Total production, 1,121,768,000 bushels, compared with 1,418,337,000 bushels last year, and 922,298,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 39.2 cents, compared with 31.9 cents last year, and 45 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $439,596,000, compared with $452,469,000 last year, and $414,663,000 in 1911.

BARLEY: Area harvested, 7,499,000 acres, compared with 7,530,000 acres last year and 7,627,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 23.8 bushels, compared with 29.7 bushels last year, and 21 bushels in 1911. Total production, 178,189,000 bushels, compared with 223,824,000 bushels last year and 160,240,000 in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 53.7 cents, compared with 50.5 cents last year, and 86.9 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $95,731,000, compared with $112,957,000 last year, and $139,182,000 in 1911.

RYE: Area harvested, 2,557,000 acres, compared with 2,117,000 acres last year and 2,127,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 16.2 bushels, compared with 16.8 bushels last year, and 15.6 bushels in 1911. Total production, 41,381,000 bushels, compared with 35,664,000 bushels last year and 33,119,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 63.4 cents, compared with 66.3 cents last year and 83.2 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $26,220,000, compared with $23,636,000 last year and $27,557,000 in 1911.

BUCKWHEAT: Area harvested, 805,000 acres, compared with 841,000 last year, and 833,000 in 1911. Acre yield, 17.2 bushels, compared with 22.9 bushels last year and 21.1 bushels in 1911. Total production, 13,833,000 bushels, compared with 19,249,000 bushels last year, and 17,549,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 75.5 cents, compared with 66.1 cents last year, and 72.6 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $10,447,000, compared with $12,720,000 last year, and $12,735,000 in 1911.

FLAXSEED: Area harvested, 2,291,000 acres, compared with 2,851,000 acres last year and 2,757,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 7.8 bushels, compared with 9.8 bushels last year, and 7 bushels in 1911. Total production, 17,853,000 bushels, compared with 28,073,000 bushels last year, and 19,370,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, $1.20, compared with $1.15 last year, and $1.82 in 1911. Total value of crop, $21,390,000, compared with $32,202,000 last year and $35,272,000 in 1911.

RICE: Area harvested, 827,000 acres, compared with 722,800 acres last year, and 696,300 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 31.1 bushels, compared with 34.7 last year, and 32.9 bushels in 1911. Total production, 25,774,000 bushels, compared with 25,054,000 bushels last year and 22,934,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 85.8 cents, compared with 93.5 cents last year, and 79.1 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $22,423,000 last year, and $18,274,000 in 1911.

POTATOES: Area harvested, 3,668,000 acres, compared with 3,711,000 acres last year, and 3,619,600 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 90.4 bushels, compared with 113.4 bushels last year, and 80.9 bushels in 1911. Total production, 331,525,000 bushels, compared with 420,647,000 bushels last year, and 292,737,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 68.7 cents, compared with 50.5 cents last year and 79.9 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $227,903,000, compared with $212,550,000 last year, and $233,778,000 in 1911.

SWEET POTATOES: Area harvested, 625,000 acres, compared with 583,000 acres last year, and 603,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 94.5 bushels, compared with 95.2 bushels last year and 90.1 bushels in 1911. Total production, 59,057,000 bushels, compared with 55,479,000 bushels last year, and 54,538,000 bushels in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per bushel, 72.6 cents, compared with 72.6 cents last year and 72.5 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $42,884,000, compared with $40,264,000 last year and $41,202,000 in 1911.

HAY: Area harvested, 48,954,000 acres, compared with 49,530,000 acres last year, and 48,240,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 1.31 tons, compared with 1.47 tons last year and 1.14 tons in 1911. Total production, 64,116,000 tons, compared with 72,691,000 tons last year, and 54,916,000 tons in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per ton, $12.43, compared with $11.79 last year, and $14.29 in 1911. Total value of crop, $797,077,000, compared with $856,695,000 last year, and $784,926,000 in 1911.

TOBACCO: Area harvested, 1,208,000 acres, compared with 1,225,000 acres last year, and 1,012,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 784.8 pounds, compared with 785.5 pounds last year, and 893.7 pounds in 1911. Total production, 947,399,000 pounds, compared with 962,855,000 pounds last year, and 905,109,000 pounds in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per pound, 12.8 cents, compared with 10.8 cents last year, and 9.4 cents in 1911. Total value of crop, $121,597,000, compared with $104,063,000 last year and $85,210,000 in 1911.

COTTON: Area harvested, 36,012,000 acres, compared with 34,283,000 acres last year and 36,045,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 181.9 pounds, compared with 190.9 pounds last year and 207.7 pounds in 1911. Total production, 13,677,000 running bales, compared with 13,703,000 running bales in 1912, last year, and 15,693,000 running bales in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per pound, 12.2 cents, compared with 11.9 cents last year, and 8.8 cents in 1911. Total value of crop (exclusive of linters and seed) $798,842,000, compared with $780,224,000 last year, and $690,000,000 in 1911.

SUGAR BEETS: Area harvested, 577,000 acres, compared with 555,000 acres last year and 474,000 acres in 1911. Acre yield, 10.11 tons, compared with 9.41 tons last year and 10.68 tons in 1911. Total production, 5,834,000 tons, compared with 5,224,000 tons last year and 5,062,000 tons in 1911. Farm value, December 1, per ton, $5.90, compared with $5.82 last year, and $5.50 in 1911. Total value of crop, $34,420,000, compared with $30,406,000 last year, and $27,848,000 in 1911.

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METAL MARKET. FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

London copper opened steady, with spot at £65, off 7s 6d, and futures at £65, unchanged. Tin was firm, with spot at £171 15s, up 7s 6d, and futures at £173, up 7s 6d. Lead was at £17 17s 6d, unchanged. Copper closed firm, with spot at £65 7s 6d, up 7s 6d, and futures at £65 3s 6d, up 7s 6d. Sales were 600 tons spot, and 700 tons futures. Best selected copper was at £69 10s, off 5s. Tin closed firm, with spot at £172, up 5s, and futures at £163 10s, up 10s. Spelter was at £21 5s, unchanged.

In New York copper, spot, December and January was offered at 14.25; February and March at 14.17½. Tin was quiet but firm, spot and December, 37.55@37.95; January, 37.60@37.90; February, 37.65@37.95. Lead was at 3.95@4.05, and spelter at 5.05@5.15.

Boston Copper Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchange, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—Interest in the local market centered in American Telephone, which sagged off 5 points today under heavy selling. New England investors have been hard hit by the great drop in the standard investment stocks, such as New Haven, Boston and Maine, Boston Elevated, Edison and American Telephone and Telegraph, and have begun to lose confidence and courage.

Close:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Adventure	1⅝	2	Mayflower	5⅞	5⅞
Ahmeek	250	255	Miami	21⅝	21⅞
Alaska	19⅞	20	Michigan	50	100
Allouez	32⅝	33	McK. Dar.	1⅛	1 3-16
Algomah	90	100	Mohawk	38	40
Am. Pneu.	2⅝	2⅝	Nev. Cons.	14⅛	14⅝
Do. pfd.	16⅞	17	Nipissing	8	8⅝
Am. Zinc	15⅝	16	Crown	1⅝	1 13-16
Arcadian	1	1⅛	Onoco	90	90
Ariz. Com.	3⅝	4	S. W. Miami	—	2
Baltic	50	70	Stewart	1 5-16	1 7-16
Bos. & E.	45	46	N. Butte	25	25⅞
Begole	75	100	Nev. Doug.	1 5-16	1 7-16
Bohemia	1	1⅝	N. Lake	75	100
Butte & B.	3⅝	3⅝	Ohio	45	45
Butte & B.	27	27⅝	*Old Dom.	46⅝	47
Cactus	1⅝	2⅛	Old Colony	3⅝	4
Calaveras	1⅛	1 5-16	Osceola	67	69
Cal. & A.	60	60⅝	Quincy	55	—
Cal. & H.	395	400	Ray Cons.	17⅝	17⅞
Centennial	13⅝	13⅞	Raven	10	15
Chief Cons.	—	1⅝	Santa Fe.	1⅛	1⅝
Chino	38⅝	38⅞	Shannon	5	5⅝
Cons. Ariz.	20	25	Shattuck	25⅝	26
Copper R.	32⅝	33	Sup. & B.	2	2⅝
Daly West	2⅝	3	Sup. Cop.	22	22⅝
Davis Daly	1⅛	1 13-16	S. P. Co.	103⅝	—
E. Butte	9⅝	10⅛	S. Lake	3⅝	3⅝
First Nat.	2⅝	2⅞	Tamarack	28	29
Cortez	5	15	Trinity	3⅝	4
Verde	46	50	Tuolumne	60	65
Franklin	2⅝	3	Utah Cop.	47	47⅝
Granby	68	68⅝	Utah Cons.	8	8⅝
Greene Can.	29⅝	29⅞	U. S. M. &		
Gifd. Cons.	1 7-16	1⅝	S. com.	36⅝	37⅝
Hancock	13⅝	14⅝	Do. pfd.	47	47⅝
Helvetia	25	50	Un. Fruit	158	158⅝
Houghton	2⅝	3⅝	Shoe Mach.	50⅝	51
Is. Creek	46	47	Do. pfd.	27⅝	27⅝
Do. pfd.	82	83⅝	Victoria	1	1 3-16
Indiana	3	3⅝	Winona	1⅝	1⅝
Inspiration	13⅝	14⅛	Wolverine	40	41⅝
Isle Royale	16⅝	17⅛	Wyandotte	50	75
Kerr Lake	4⅝	4 9-16	Yukon	2	2⅝
Keweenaw	2	2 7-16	Con. Cop.	2	2⅝
Lake Cop.	5	5⅝	Ojibway	50	100
La Salle	3⅝	4	Pond Creek	17⅛	17⅝
Mass. Cop.	3	3⅝	Rose	1 15-16	2
Mass. Gas.	88	89⅝			
Do. pfd.	80	81⅝			
Majestic	20	25			

*—Ex-dividend.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter firm, receipts 4100 tubs; creamery extras, 36@37; firsts, 28@34; held extras, 32@33; firsts, 27½@31; process extras, 24½@25½; factory current firsts, 21@21½. Cheese firm; receipts, 1400 boxes; State whole milk held specials, 16⅞; average fancy, 16¼@16½; fresh specials, 16; fancy, 15¼@15⅝. Eggs, irregular, receipts 4300 cases; fresh gathered extras, 39@40; extra firsts, 37@38; firsts, 35@36; refrigerator special marks, fancy, 30½; firsts, 29@30; near-by hennery, whites, fine to fancy large, 44@47; gathered whites, 44@45; hennery browns, 41; European fresh, 28@32; held, fresh, 22@28.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Hogs, receipts, 58,000; slow, 5 to 10 cents under Saturday's average. Bulk, 7.65@7.80; lights, 7.40@7.72½; mixed, 7.50@7.80; heavy, 7.50@7.85; rough, 7.50@7.65; pigs, 6.25@7.75. Cattle, receipts, 3500; weak, generally 10 to 15 cents lower. Beeves, 6.50@9.50; Texas steers, 6.60@7.65; western steers, 5.80@7.65; stockers and feeders, 4.90@7.40; cows and heifers, 3.30@8.20; calves, 7.50@11.25. Sheep, receipts, 30,000; weak. Native and western, 4.40@5.60; yearlings, 5.50@6.75; lambs, native and western, 6.40@8.00.

Chicago Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, higher, creameries, 22@35½. Eggs, steady; receipts, 2566 cases; at mark, cases included, 26@31; ordinary firsts, 28@29½; firsts, 31½. Cheese, steady; daisies, 14¾@15; twins, 14¼@14½; Americas, 15¼@15½; longhorns, 14¾@15.

London Hops Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 15.—[By Cable and A. P.] Hops in London, Pacific Coast, £5 12s@£6 15s.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Dec. 15.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, steady, 34.

SPOT COTTON. NEW ORLEANS QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New Orleans spot cotton: Low ordinary, 9 1-4 nominal; ordinary, 10 1-16 nominal; good ordinary, 11 11-16; strict good ordinary, 11 15-16; low middling, 12 5-8; strict low middling, 12 3-4; middling, 12 13-16; good middling, 13 1-4; strict good middling, 13 11-16; middling fair, 14 1-8 nominal; middling fair to fair, 14 1-2 nominal; fair, 14 7-8 nominal. Sales: spot, 700 bales; to arrive, 720 bales. Tone of market, quiet. Receipts at New Orleans, 18,173 bales.

QUARTERLY COTTON REPORT. GOVERNMENT FIGURES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The supply and distribution of cotton for the three-month period ending November 30 was announced today by the Census Bureau as follows:

Supply, exclusive of linters, 12,902,121 bales, made up of stocks at beginning of period, 1,598,428 bales; cotton ginned, 11,282,001 bales, and net imports, 21,692 bales.

Distribution: Consumption, 1,496,273 bales; exports, 3,940,343 bales, and stocks at end of period in manufacturing establishments, 1,474,690 bales; in independent warehouses, 3,246,507 bales, and elsewhere, 2,698,608 bales.

Cotton consumed during November included 18,458 bales of foreign cotton and 26,311 bales of linters. Cotton-growing States consumed 22,916 bales and all other States 228,678 bales.

Cotton in manufacturing establishments included 43,176 bales of foreign cotton and 58,564 bales of linters. In manufacturing establishments in cotton-growing States, 831,974 bales and in all other States 642,716 bales.

Cotton in independent warehouses included 2782 bales of foreign cotton and 29,897 bales of linters. Independent warehouses in cotton-growing States held 3,150,462 bales and in all other States 96,325 bales.

Active spindles in cotton-growing States numbered 12,080,065 and in all other States 18,856,646.

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November 30	(Sunday)	[illegible]

Daily average for every day of November... [illegible]
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HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of December, 1913.

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Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Harbor Commission yesterday received the first part of the bond money, recently voted. It laid plans in a jiffy for its expenditure in harbor development.

The confirmation of R. E. Wirsching as a member of the Board of Public Utilities is expected this morning in the Council.

A public hearing of psychics, mystics, clairvoyants and others will take place in the Council chamber this morning, when the expulsion order is considered by the Public Safety Committee.

After granting a deed to property she did not know her father owned, for a consideration of $25, an Iowa College girl discovered the land is worth $6000 and a suit was tried to set aside the deed.

A ruling by Judge Taft holds in a damage suit decided for the defendant yesterday that an auto driver ahead cannot be held responsible for what happens to the driver coming up behind him.

At the City Hall.

FINDS PLACES FOR BOND CASH.

HARBOR BOARD GETS FIRST PART OF RECENT ISSUE.

Money to Be Expended on Development of Inner and Outer Harbors and Various Work Around Wharves and at Terminal Points, Where Large Plans Are Laid.

How to spend a quarter of a million was the least of the trouble of the Harbor Commission yesterday when notified by the City Treasurer that $250,000 in bonds had been bought by the Pacific Electric company and that the money is available. The work at the harbor is of such magnitude that the bond money now available, one-tenth of the amount voted, will be used in putting finishing touches to great projects under way.

The division of the $2,500,000 harbor bond money is that $750,000 shall be expended in the inner harbor around Wilmington, and the remainder in the outer harbor. For the inner harbor work there was available on November 1, $42,845 of the old issue, and in the outer harbor work the commission had available on the same date, $245,228 of the old issue. With the $750,000 in new bond money the commission has more than half a million now at its disposal to push harbor work.

The work being done is on the paving of the Fries-street extension at Wilmington, the Water-street shed, the extensions of 400 feet of shed and wharf for the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company on the Mormon Island channel wharf, the connection of that wharf with the Water-street wharf, and the necessary tracks and paving to effect terminal and trackage facilities.

In the outer harbor, the 1800-foot steel shed on municipal dock No. 1, will take most of the $245,228, available November 1. Some of the new bond money will be used in lowering Nob Hill, and in commencing the terminal work on Timm's point.

Harbor Commissioner Gilmer appeared before the Finance Committee yesterday with an appeal for early disposal of the remaining harbor bonds. The committee decided to wait until after the first of the year.

The Council is to confirm Robert E. Wirsching, Mayor Rose's choice as McReynolds's successor on the Board of Public Utilities, this morning. Action on the Mayor's appointment is billed for 2 o'clock and the opposition that at first developed against Wirsching seems to have disappeared, so that there are probably enough votes in the Council to confirm.

Day for Psychics.

A convention of clairvoyants, psychics, mystics, fortune-tellers, astrologers and other dealers in occult will be held at 10 o'clock this morning in the City Council chamber. The Public Safety Committee, of which John W. Snowden is chairman, will listen to the mystery folks and others in consideration of the Conwell resolution to revoke all licenses of these people on the ground that theirs is not a legitimate occupation.

Cinnamon Bear at Large.

A female cinnamon bear has escaped from the zoo in Griffith Park and the Park Commission has for ten days conducted a still hunt for the animal, hoping to return it to its customary place before the fact was generally known that it had disappeared. Park Superintendent Shearer said yesterday that he believes the bear is still in the park somewhere, and hopes to have it corraled shortly.

City Hall Notes.

The Finance Committee yesterday recommended an appropriation of $6000 to the Municipal Charities Commission for carrying on its work until the end of its fiscal year.

The Million Club has indorsed Mrs. Frances H. Weldon as a member of the Humane Animal Commission. Her name will come before the Council tomorrow for confirmation.

The Council yesterday instructed the City Attorney to draw up a lease with Hen Berry and Eddie Maier for use of the ground adjoining the baseball park at Washington and Main streets, for the use of gravel and the rock crusher.

J. S. Conwell is president of the Council in the absence of Whiffen, who is acting Mayor.

William Mulholland was favored by the Finance Committee yesterday, when it recommended that he be refunded $416 in taxes paid by him under protest on personal property. Engineer Mulholland paid $480 to the city on what he considered a wrong assessment, and the Finance Committee has taken a similar view.

Port Commissioner Robert Bridges of Seattle was shown over the harbor yesterday by Commissioner Gordon. The Seattle official was highly pleased with the development and said that Los Angeles harbor has a splendid opportunity for future growth and business.

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At the Courthouse.

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DISCOVERS IT IS WORTH SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS.

In Suit Brought to Recover She Alleges Conditions Misrepresented to Her at Time of Sale—Defendants Declare She Had Legal Knowledge of Facts.

A suit submitted to Judge Hewitt on briefs has for the heroine Edna Prine, a student of Iowa Agricultural College, who sold her heritage for a mess of pottage. In other words, she gave a deed to property now worth $6000 for $25. When Miss Prine discovered later that she had been imposed on, she brought an action to set aside the deed, alleging misrepresentation.

The story harks back nearly a quarter of a century ago. William T. Prine, her father, owned property in Redlands. Martin Lum had taken up sixty acres of government land in Benedict Canyon. He applied for a patent, but before this was received he deeded the land to Prine.

Prine recorded the deed, but when he died in 1904, Edna being then about 6 years old, the only property he had been known to possess was the Riverside land. It appears he had never mentioned to his family the acquisition of the sixty acres, and the deed was not among his papers. Edna grew up in ignorance that she was the heiress of the canyon property. So when a lawyer called on her and offered her $25 in exchange for a deed to this property she took the money. The purpose of acquiring the deed was to clear up a cloud on the title, she says she was told.

Previous to this, it is alleged that Lum met Ivan C. Baker in the Recorder's office. The matter of the sixty acres came up, and as the land had been taken by the State in default of taxes, an arrangement was made among Lum, Baker and Crouch & Crouch, a law firm, to redeem the property. The deed Miss Prine had given cleared the way.

The defendants deny they made any misrepresentations to Miss Prine. They held that under the law she had knowledge of the property her father owned and that she never exercised her right of redeeming the sixty acres.

TRAFFIC RULING.
RELATING TO SIGNAL.

Judge Taft ruled yesterday, in the suit of L. W. Gregg against the Wilcox Truck Company, that "an auto driver ahead cannot be held responsible for what happens to the driver coming up behind him."

Gregg, a Lankershim rancher, after signaling the driver of the truck that he desired to pass, thought he had an opportunity and forged ahead, only to find himself near the edge of the road on the left and a bridge ahead. Before he could obviate it, his machine crashed into the bridge. He asked $1500 damages to his machine and $5000 for injuries sustained by himself and his wife, alleging negligence on the part of the truck driver.

The driver of the truck, who was bringing a party of twenty-five men and women from a picnic, testified he did not hear Gregg signal; also, that he could not look back owing to the high seat of the truck. Judge Taft gave judgment for the truck company, finding that Gregg turned out to pass the truck at his own risk.

MANY-SIDED SUIT.
LAND DEAL QUESTIONED.

A land deal with many apparently mixed-up features is occupying the attention of Judge Hewitt. It involves two real estate men, 750 acres of land, stock in various corporations, a $10,000 mortgage and two milliners.

The milliners are Emma V. Matthews and Lelia H. Page, who bought a half-interest in the mortgage. They are suing Frank O. Wilson, who acquired the 750 acres near Glendale, the property of Mrs. Maud T. Taylor, through a deal with Christian Jantzen.

The story of the deal, as it was brought out during the trial, is that Mrs. Taylor placed the property in the hands of Jantzen to sell or trade at an advantage. Jantzen and Wilson came to terms, and in exchange for the acreage, Wilson gave Jantzen stock, shares in hardware contracts and parcels of land in New Jersey, Missouri, Texas and Oklahoma and a $10,000 mortgage.

Wilson alleges he did not acquire the property he was shown. Mrs. Taylor says the trade was not advantageous. She received a half-interest in the mortgage, the other half being sold by Jantzen to the milliners. She agreed with Wilson to cancel her half of the mortgage and return the stock she had received in the deal if he would turn back the acreage to her. This was done. Now the milliners want the money back they paid for the mortgage.

ALIENATION ACTION.
EXTENT OF LIMITATION.

Judge Finlayson decided yesterday that an action for alienating a wife's affections is not barred within the statute of limitations within one year. He is inclined to the opinion that an action for alienating a wife's affections is an action for injury to property, and that this action is controlled by Section 339, whereby the two years' limitation is provided.

Under this opinion the court overruled the demurrer of L. C. Brand to the complaint of Milton W. Armstrong, alleging that September 26, 1911, Brand enticed his (Armstrong's) wife from him. The gist of the action, the court holds, is the loss of the person, affections, society and aid of a wife. If this right is property, then the defendant's act involves an injury to property, and the action is not barred by the one-year statute of limitations.

SECRETARY SENTENCED.
FOR MAKING FALSE REPORT.

J. E. Youtz, former secretary of the Merchants' and Insurers' Reporting Company, who was convicted of making a false report as to its financial condition, was sentenced to three years in San Quentin by Judge Crail yesterday.

Youtz was discharged as secretary of the concern before his trial, and the District Attorney's office is informed that the concern will be dissolved as soon as the assets can be realized.

The prosecution, in which Deputies Shannon, Hammon, Graham and Blair all had a hand, was the first under the State law prohibiting false statements as to the financial condition of corporations. Youtz was represented by Job Harriman.

DAUGHTER CONTESTS.
ALLEGES UNSOUND MIND.

Laura C. Janes, who was cut off, is contesting the will of her father, John Haislip, the late retired wealthy rancher, on the ground that the will was executed while he was of unsound mind. She further alleges that her father's business affairs were managed and controlled by her sisters, Eliza Ann Gerlach and Opal Lena Dempster. The trial is before a jury in Judge Houser's court.

Under a trust deed, Mrs. Callie Kincaid, another sister, receives $5000. The residue of the estate, valued at $60,000, was divided equally among Mrs. Gerlach, Mrs. Dempster, John Haislip of this city and William Haislip of Portland.

Among other allegations, Mrs. Janes says her sisters induced her father to believe he had made advancements aggregating $15,000 to her, which were deducted as her share under the will. She states she was never advanced any sums by her father.

INJUNCTION SOUGHT.
MONROVIA PUMP CASE.

The points raised in the injunction proceedings brought by C. H. Reas against Victor Clemence and others, growing out of an alleged effort on the part of land owners near Monrovia to keep the Ivanho Land Company from entering and taking possession of property involved in the pumping plant, were taken under advisement by Judge Myers yesterday.

This injunction suit is said to be the result of a factional fight for control of the pumping plant. Affidavits were filed alleging that armed men guarded the plant and threatened agents of the company with dire punishment if they returned. Among other affidavits was one by H. W. Myers, who said these armed men were excluding the Ivanho company from the premises.

ALIMONY WRANGLE.
COURT DIVIDES PROPERTY.

Charlotte Jensen yesterday cited N. P. Jenson for failure to pay alimony. First, Judge Monroe discovered Jensen had $10, which he asked him to turn over to his wife. Then Mrs. Jensen demanded her sewing machine.

"That's not fair," cried Jensen. "You said she could not go in the house." "You are not going to use it?" the court asked Jensen. He admitted he was not. "Very well, then, Mrs. Jensen can have it."

"I want the wringer," demanded Mrs. Jensen. Another protest came from Jensen, also unavailing. "I want the electric iron," now put in Jensen. He said he also wanted his suit case. "Very well," ordered the court; "when you send the sewing machine, she will send the suit case back with a messenger boy."

At this stage it was found that Mrs. Jensen's stepfather had a suit against Jensen for the collection of payments on their home. This almost upset the exchange of household goods, but the court allowed Mrs. Jensen to have the sewing machine and the wringer, Jensen to retain the electric iron.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.
BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

UNDER SUBMISSION. The demurrer of County Clerk Lelande to the complaint of the Pasadena Park Improvement Company for an injunction restraining Lelande from turning over an assessment list to the County Assessor was submitted on briefs to Judge Works yesterday. The total assessments levied are $114,017.19, on a contract calling for $109,923.45. The plaintiffs, who are property owners, allege that the assessment is illegal, as they had no notice of the work. A preliminary injunction was granted a month a.

MORE COMPENSATION. Col. Holabird, receiver for the California Development Company, was allowed additional compensation per month under a formal order of Judge Meyers's yesterday. This is effective since January 1, last. A partial hearing of Col. Holabird's petition to be permitted to rescind the contract with the Imperial East Side Water Company to furnish water, on the ground that the Imperial company had violated its contract by buying water from the Mexican receiver, was heard yesterday and continued.

DECREE DENIED. Mrs. Rosa B. Needham testified in her divorce suit against Dana R. Needham yesterday that her husband gave her money for her tuition, but would not give it until she promised to pay him back. "You don't need to pay that back," said Judge Monroe. Needham produced evidence that he supported his wife. The decree was denied.

BURCHAM ESTATE. C. A. Burcham, who, with Singleton and Mooers, at one time owned the Yellow Aster mine, left an estate appraised at $206,195.27. The inventory was filed yesterday by the widow, Rose L. Burcham, named in the will as executrix. Burcham owned stock in many quartz mines listed under the head of the Calico mining district.

MRS. IVY'S CASE. Mrs. Edith M. Ivy, who slew her husband in Hollywood because of the suspicion he committed a grave crime, as she alleges, will be given an examination as to her sanity Thursday. Chief Deputy District Attorney Ford does not wish to prosecute her for murder until thoroughly convinced that she is in possession of her faculties.

INCORPORATIONS. Colored Workingman's Club, incorporators, Bradford Norman, Nalle B. Murray, John H. Hawkins, S. Garmer, Charles S. Brown. Mescal Water and Land Company, incorporators, Charles A. Fat, Julius Lovenths, John C. Muller, E. Vernon Bullock, J. L. Stanley, Milton I. Baird, Eugenia M. Stanley; capital stock, $50,000; subscribed, $7. Long Beach Merchants' Express and Transfer Company, incorporators, Eugene A. Moses, R. E. Moses, E. B. Bartholomew, C. S. Bartholomew, J. E. Hatch; capital stock, $50,000; subscribed, $5. Harmony Music Company, Incorporators, Charles F. L. Richter, Annie M. Richter, Walter F. Haas; capital stock, $25,000; subscribed, $25,000. First Baptist Church of Venice, incorporators, Isaac Liggins, C. E. A. Bronson, S. L. Nickols. Ocean Park Bath Company, incorporators, B. W. McCausland, L. A. Henry, A. T. Jergins, R. D. McCausland, Ben S. Hunter; capital stock, $50,000; subscribed, $500.

PAYS WITH MILEAGE.

E. J. Overholtz, a Covina doctor, paid his Police Court fine with mileage yesterday. He was allowed 25 cents a mile to go to court. But he had to go in a wagon. Overholtz was arrested in the city for speeding. He was ordered to appear before Police Judge Frederickson Monday morning. The only way he could make the trip was by wagon, as his car was out of commission. He went trundling up to the City Jail and appeared in court. When the judge learned how far Overholtz had come to plead, he told him that was sufficient punishment and permitted him to go.

Of Course!

"PEOPLE'S WELFARE" GIVES FIRST WAIL.

THE first group of kickers against being required to drop their aliases and tell their right names appeared yesterday at the City Clerk's office. That is, their real names appeared. The "People's Welfare Commission," so-called, purported to consist of A. L. Appel, T. C. Van Epps and W. H. McGoldrick, scored the Council for passing a resolution calling upon just such organizations as the People's Welfare Commission to file attested lists of members with the City Clerk before they hope to find consideration for their communications to the Council.

Being the first to squeal under pressure, the Van Epps-Appel combination, limited to a membership of three, calls the action "gag rule" and demands the Council rescind the resolution.

"We are not speaking with any weak or uncertain voice," says the letter of a body of three men, "as we have an organization behind us of more than 25,000 voters, all of whom are taxpayers and the most of whom are owners of real estate in this city."

That is what the People's Welfare Commission has been saying for a long time. The Council wants to know who these "voters" and "taxpayers" are, and the Councilmen in passing the resolution unanimously figured that if these organization with high-sounding names are "on the level" they will not object to stepping up and showing it. The new rule, fathered by Councilman Conwell, becomes effective on the first of the year.

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Open Until 6 o'Clock —A courtesy extended to those of our customers who cannot do their purchasing before 5:30 p.m.

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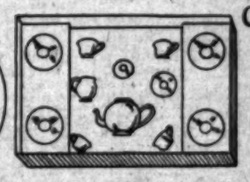
Store Not Open Evenings —This store will not be open evenings from before Christmas.

Little Folks—See Santa Claus Before the Last-Minute Rush

Winslow Roller Skates, $2

—Fun the year round for the kiddies if Santa Claus brings a pair of these ball-bearing, with adjustable footplate and toe clamps. Styles for boys and girls.



Character Dolls at 89c

—Good quality, bisque head, sleeping eyes and mohair wig. These dolls are 12 inches high and have the "real little baby" look. The best maker in Europe made them expressly for Hamburger's.

Jointed Dolls, $2.50

—Full ball jointed, with a handsome parted wig, sleeping eyes with lashes, and complete with a pretty chemise, socks and bootees; 21 inches high.

Children's Tea Sets at $1.00

—And for the little miss who's been real good, Santa Claus may bring one of these enameled tea sets.

—Nicely made and finished. Sets consisting of one tea pot, cream pitcher, berry dish and four cups and saucers.

Upright Engines

—Real engines fitted with [illegible] inch flywheel and an alcohol [illegible] Height of the engine to the top of the smokestack, 10¾ inches.

Sporting Goods

—For the active, healthy child, yes, for the building of that strength and activity, nothing will be more beneficial as a Christmas gift than something from these—

Boxing Gloves	$1.00 to $6.00
Striking Bags	$1.50 to $5.00
Footballs	$1.00 to $5.00
Basket-balls	$2.50 to $6.00
Baseballs	5c to $1.25
Catchers' Mitts	25c to $8.00
Fielders' Gloves	25c to $3.50
Baseball Bats	10c to $1.00
Baseball Suits	95c to $5.00
Archery Sets	25c to $1.00
Tennis Racquets	60c to $8.00
Tennis Balls	25c to 45c
Croquet Sets	85c to $15.00
Bicycles	$19.75 to $50.00
Roller Skates, plain bearing	$1.25
Roller Skates, ball bearing,	$1.75, $6.50

Tree Ornaments

—Hamburger's—Headquarters [illegible] Christmas tree ornaments—[illegible] thing from the simple little [illegible] and strings of tinsel to [illegible] pieces of rare beauty. In this [illegible] merely hint of them—

Glass Christmas Tree Ornaments, ranging in price....1c to [illegible]
Glass Beads....3c to [illegible]
Cornucopias....2½ to [illegible]
Paper Candy Boxes....
Toy-filled Stockings....10c to [illegible]
Fancy Imported Candy Bags....10c, [illegible]
Tinsel Garlands....10c to [illegible]
Artificial Xmas Trees....5c to [illegible]
Moss for bottom of tree....
Artificial Snow....5c and [illegible]
Small Snow Houses, 25c; Candles....
Metal Tree Stands....30c, 50c and [illegible]
Candle Holders, from 5c doz. to [illegible]

(Hamburger's Toyland and Dollsboro—Fourth Floor)

FREE CHRISTMAS GIFT

I will give to every boy and girl in Los Angeles free Christmas presents from the great outdoor Christmas Tree at "Brooklyn"-West next Sunday, December 21.

Free automobile excursion every day at 10 o'clock in the morning and 2 o'clock in the afternoon, leaving from Sixth and Broadway. You have only 5 days left.

Every boy and girl who wishes to get a free present must take a grown-up friend or relative and register at "Brooklyn"-West in the next five days.

Your old fat friend,
SANTA CLAUS.

Big Lots $550

10% Down
10% Discount for Cash
10% Discount for Building

Lots sold only to members of the Caucasian race, and present restricted likewise.

GUY M. RUSH CO.

901-5 927 Story Building, Sixth and Broadway.
Phones: Home 60055—Broadway 24.

LAUNDRY AT COST.
From Friday noon to Saturday 2 P.M., at all of the 51 downtown THREE C LAUNDRY STORES

WESCO BLEND COFFEE
Roasted Fresh Daily
28c lb., 2 lbs. 55c.
WALTER E. SMITH CO.,
212-218 S. Spring St.

SLAUGHTER SALE RAINCOATS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION GOODYEAR COMPANY 634 South Broadway

WEDNESDAY MORNI...

Decree.

CONFISCATE... BY VILL...

Looting of Terra... Made Official.

Estate With that of the C... Worth Many Millions t... Enrich Rebels.

Former Bandit Said to H... Settled With the Exile... Spaniards.

Force Dispatched to Head... Federals Now Marchin... on Chihuahua.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 16.—All property of Luis Terrazas, Enrique Creel and Juan Creel, including banks, mines, vast areas of land, thousands of head of cattle, homes and personal effects, were declared confiscated to the rebels in official decree issued by Gen. Francisco Villa today.

Mr. Terrazas, now a refugee in the United States, is one of the richest men in Mexico. His holdings, about two-thirds of the State of Chihuahua are said to place him among the most extensive land-holders of the world. The combined estate of Terrazas and the Creel brothers, nephews, is valued at many millions of dollars. Enrique Creel was formerly Ambassador from Mexico to the United States.

Gen. Villa's decree, issued at Chihuahua city, was sent to Juarez and gives out officially. It was intended as a notice that should the revolution succeed, neither the Terrazas nor the Creel families will be allowed immunity for their losses.

The decree accuses the Creels ...

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p. m., south; velocity 5 miles. Thermometer, highest, 60 deg.; lowest, 47 deg. Forecast: Cloudy Wednesday; light west wind. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. The Annexation Commission took a long step yesterday toward completion of its work by asking the Council to order a $1,000,000 bond election.

The Board of Education last night ordered a sweeping investigation of conditions in the public schools, and issued an emergency order for added fire protection.

Watts suffered a political upheaval yesterday and the secretary to the library board was ousted, and other office holders jeopardised.

The sight of two-bit cigars drove a starving woman to desperation yesterday, and she hurled a cobblestone through the window of the store.

A well-known realty man accused his wife in the divorce court yesterday of infatuation, jealousy and threats to kill.

The Union Pacific and the Santa Fe are engaged in a speed war to win the government contract to carry transcontinental mail.

The District Attorney is to make an example of a speed maniac by placing him on trial for the third time on a charge of manslaughter.

The reader who would do ... to himself and community, ... ought to be ... ...